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COLUMBUS ALARMED AGAIN BY REPORT OF BANDIT APPROACH

FUNSTON PREPARING TO START PURSUIT OF OUTCAST CHIEF

RUMORS ARE UNFOUNDED, HOWEVER, BUT MEXICAN REFUSING TO HALT IS KILLED AND OTHERS HELD ON SUSPICION OF BEING VILLA SPIES.

FUNERAL OF RAID VICTIM HELD

Every Man Attending Services Armed. Man With Rifles Captured from Raiders—Carranza Troops Join in Pursuit, Carrying Black and White Flag for Identification.

By the Associated Press.

Columbus, N. M., March 10.—Francisco Villa with the Mexican bandit army whose raid on Columbus was beaten off by the Thirteenth United States cavalry with severe losses yesterday morning, was at Boca Grande, twenty-five miles southeast, at last reports brought here by scouts today. American military authorities here were impatient for orders to cross the border and assail the bandit leader before he had time to retreat further into the interior of Chihuahua.

With plenty of cavalrymen available tonight, Colonel Slocum and his officers were convinced that an order to cross the line now would mean a quick disposition of Villa. When Maj. Frank Tompkins of the Thirteenth cavalry, with hardly 200 men, made a rapid pursuit of the retreating Villa force, estimated at 5,000 men, yesterday, the Mexicans fled fifteen miles. Six troops of cavalry were ready and eager tonight to renew the chase.

Meanwhile residents of the town of Columbus were in a state of high tension tonight. A report today that Villa had recrossed the border and surrounded the town stampeded nearly all the inhabitants.

The funeral of Mrs. Milton James, one of the Americans killed by Villa's raiders when they burst into the town yesterday morning before daylight, was held today. A throng attended and every man in the crowd was alert and armed. Rifles captured from the Mexicans when the American troops drove them from the town supplied arms for many of the civilians.

When the report that Villa was again advancing gained currency, tonight advanced civilians supplemented the two patrols sent out by the military authorities who have charge of the town and fired at everything that appeared to move in the desert brush surrounding the town. Shouts of "Put out the lights" rang through the streets and military camps at 7:30 o'clock, but half an hour later there appeared no signs that Villa had reached the boundary with his army. The entire military force at the disposal of Colonel Slocum was ready, however, at a moment's notice for a fight.

During the day after it became known that the United States government had decided to send troops into Mexico after Villa, army officers sent their wives and other women relatives away. With civilian women alarmed by reports of another Villa attack, departures numbered scores.

A squad of cavalry sent out today to investigate report that Villa soldiers had crossed the border and surrounded a patrol of the Seventh cavalry, which had been sent with a report that the armed Mexicans had been seen this side of the border.

At 8 o'clock a report was received at headquarters of the Thirteenth cavalry that firing heard a few minutes earlier east of the town was the result of the failure of a Mexican to halt on order of a patrol. The Mexican was killed. A few minutes later the lights were again turned on in the cavalry camp and the town.

A number of Mexicans rounded up by military patrols were expected today because of the suspicion that they had furnished information to Villa. Some were liberated, but a few were held as spies.

One of the Mexicans who gave the name of Pablo Gonzales wore overalls over a Mexican military uniform. He insisted, however, that he was a peaceful rancher, but was held in the military guard house with a number of other suspects. Several of those liberated were escorted to the border and departures numbered scores.

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Submission Expected to Be on Texas Ballot This Year

Special to the Morning News.

Dallas, March 10.—The victory of the wets in Vermont does not seem to have dampened the ardor of the Anti-Saloon league forces in Texas, nor to have lessened their hope of landing Texas in the dry column in 1917. Commenting on the results in Vermont, Dr. A. J. Barton, superintendent of the Texas league, said:

"Of course we regret that Vermont did not do the sensible thing and get on the water wagon. We are intensely anxious to clean every saloon down in America at the earliest possible moment and we regret every defeat, and every failure to win. But the results of one battle do not determine the results of the whole war. It must not be overlooked that we did not lose Vermont; we only failed to win it."

In answer to the question whether the result in Vermont will affect the plans of the Texas league concerning the proposed election, Superintendent Barton said, "Not in the least. Nor will the results in Vermont affect the probable results in Texas to any appreciable degree, in my opinion. The situation is entirely different. Vermont is a small state, in close proximity to a number of large wet states. With liquor-soaked Massachusetts, New York and Pennsylvania hard-by, it is easy to see how the citizens of

Vermont feared they could not make their law effective.

"With Texas it is quite different. Texas is a big state, surrounded by dry states, except Louisiana and New Mexico; leaving out Missouri and Kentucky, there are only three states in the whole South licensing the liquor traffic. Florida licenses the sale of sealed packages not to be drawn until the consumer buys them at the price of the bottle. The Texas and Louisiana license the open drinking saloon. In view of this condition, Texas will have an easy task to make her laws effective. The two cases are so unlike that it is believed the results in Vermont will not at all seriously affect the results in Texas."

Dr. Barton said he is expecting the great victory for the drys in Runnels county to be duplicated both in Bowie, where the wets are trying to put the saloons back, and in Neches, where they are trying to close the saloons out. And whatever the result in any given case, he says the sentiment over the state as a whole is growing and he is confident of a statewide victory.

Superintendent Barton's views are shared by the prohibitionists at large throughout the state. There is little doubt that the state convention of the Anti-Saloon league to assemble in this city next week will decide to put submission on the ballot this year.

Henry Gassaway Davis Is Dead

By the Associated Press.

Washington, March 11.—Henry Gassaway Davis, former United States senator from West Virginia and vice presidential candidate on the democratic ticket in 1904, died here early today after a brief illness, aged 93 years.

President Cheered by Washington Crowd

By the Associated Press.

Washington, March 10.—President Wilson was enthusiastically applauded Saturday when he entered a theater to attend a matinee. It was the first time the president had left his study for more than a few minutes at a time during the day.

Within an hour after the word that the troops had been ordered to Mexico had been given out, messages congratulating the president on his action began arriving at the white house. One organization in New Orleans offered

land for concentration camps.

Field Artillery to Be Utilized in Effort to End Villa Trouble



A view of three-inch field artillery drilling is shown in the above picture. Latest dispatches from army headquarters say that a battery of these guns will entrain at El Paso for Cagigas Grandes. A regiment of light artillery, several cavalry and a few of infantry will also be used in the attempt to catch the Mexican bandit chief.

AMERICAN VESSELS NEED RE-DESIGNING

COMMANDER OF OKLAHOMA SAYS PRE-DREADNOUGHT SHIPS IN BAD SHAPE.

Colossal Mistakes in Construction Are Never Rectified, Is Declared.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, March 10.—America's pre-dreadnaught fleet would go over like pine-pins if pitted against British or other craft of the same age, Capt. W. S. Sims, commander of the new super-dreadnaught Nevada, told the house naval committee today, because "colossal mistakes" in construction never have been rectified. Other countries, he said, had spent millions in re-designing the older ships to meet changed conditions.

Illustrating his point, Captain Sims, who as a lieutenant went over the heads of his superiors to obtain President Roosevelt's support of his campaign to improve methods of fleet practice in the navy, said the old building in the bay, the battleship Oregon, probably was the worst naval design ever put afloat. Her unbalanced turrets heeled her over on broadside fire, he said, until her thin armor plate, not thicker than man's hair, was exposed to gun fire.

Other turrets of the Kentuck and the Kearsarge were so designed, he declared, that four 12-inch shells could enter the gun ports at one time; the sloping roofs of the Connecticut class turrets were built to withstand short range direct fire and were no better than paper against modern plunging fire. The turrets of the Illinois class gun in the armament at the back of the turret six to eight feet wide directly in line with the ammunition hoists inside.

All these defects Captain Sims attributed to the organizations of the department that prepared for him. He insisted that a general staff would have rendered them impossible and told the committee that with the general board determining military characteristics of ship modern battle craft were well built.

Captain Sims declared that submarines could not defend the coast and that the defense of New York should be made a thousand miles of sea. He had positive knowledge, he said, that the British fleet spent part of its time behind nets in sheltered harbors and the rest at sea surrounded by screen fleets and submarine nets when not in rapid motion. The only turrets of the ships that had got through the screens, he said, had been rammed by a battleship and sunk.

Captain Sims said secretary Danks had realized the vital importance of the war college after it had existed for twenty-five years with no students. A full complement of officers had kept the new fleet, he said, regardless of whether the new fleet was short of officers, and the result was becoming apparent in that many defects and weaknesses were being brought to light.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

SENATE.

Senator McCumber introduced a resolution to direct the president to send an armed force into Mexico to pursue bandits responsible for the Columbus outrage.

Senator Fall introduced a resolution to recruit 500,000 volunteers to police Mexico.

Senator Ashurst spoke on the Columbus outrage and Senator Stone cautioned senators to be calm while executive authorities dealt with the situation.

Senator La Follette spoke on the armed fleet.

Chairman Smith called for a relations committee to meet tomorrow morning to hear explanation of administration's stand in Mexican situation.

Adjourned at 3:25 p. m. to noon Saturday.

HOUSE.

Rayburn bill for federal control of railroad securities, senate resolution for congressional inquiry of all common carrier problems and other proposed railroad legislation favorably reported by interstate commerce committee.

Debated latest Mexican developments.

Foreign affairs committee met and received from Chairman Flood further information regarding the president's decision to send troops to Mexico.

Naval committee continued hearings on preparedness measures.

Adjourned at 5:25 p. m. to noon Saturday.

GERMANY GETTING SUPPLIES BY MAIL

SIR LORD ROBERT CECIL SHOWS FIGURES TO A. P. CORRESPONDENT.

Allies Cannot Afford to Let Enemy Carry on Trade, Is Declared.

By the Associated Press.

London, March 10.—There has been some feeling in the United States that our action in detaining parcels and letter mail for examination was frivolous and that it entailed an amount of inconvenience out of all comparison to the benefit which might accrue to our enemies from the goods thus carried," said Sir

Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade, in showing to the Associated Press correspondent today some figures which indicated the extent of the trade carried on through the mails to and from Germany.

"These figures taken alone," Lord Cecil added, "seen in isolation, can scarcely be regarded as prima facie evidence of a violation of the neutrality of that republic."

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President Wilson's Statement.

"An adequate force will be sent at once in pursuit of Villa with the single object of capturing him and putting a stop to his forays."

"This can be done and will be done in entirely friendly aid of the constitutional authorities in Mexico and with scrupulous respect for the sovereignty of that republic."

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President Wilson's decision to depart from the policy of watchful waiting, hastened by the Columbus massacre yesterday, was announced today after it had been unanimously approved by the cabinet and administration leaders in congress.

The president's position was explained fully to the former, who agreed that he should not be embarrassed at this time by discussions of a minority which might arouse trouble in Mexico.

After a brief cabinet meeting at which the president was described as being determined to eliminate Villa as he was to eliminate Huerta, Secretary Baker hurried to the war department and expects co-operation, passive at least, from the other branches.

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Secrecy is Urged.

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TAKE VILLA DEAD OR ALIVE PRESIDENT WILSON'S ORDER

American Troops Expected to Be on Move After Mexican Bandit by Tonight, With General Frederick Funston as Commanding Officer. Secrecy as to Plans.

GARRISON HELPING OUT HIS SUCCESSOR

Former Secretary of War Comes to Washington and Proffers Services to Secretary Baker, Which Are at Once Accepted—No Invasion, Just Punitive Trip, Is Statement from White House.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, March 10.—American troops were ordered across the Mexican border today by President Wilson to take Francisco Villa and his bandits, dead or alive.

Under the direction, if not actually the leadership, of Major General Funston, who ended the Philippine insurrection by taking Aguinaldo into custody, American columns are expected to be moving into Mexico before tomorrow night. They go to meet about 3,000 guerilla troops in a mountainous region from which Carranza troops have fled.

State department officials declined to say what their attitude would be if Carranza attacked from a hostile position.

They said the United States would settle that question when it arose. If an offer of co-operation of Carranza troops was made, they said, it could hardly be refused.

Carranza Joins in Pursuit.

Today General Carranza ordered five thousand troops from various garrisons to move upon the Villa forces. The effect of their advance probably would be to keep the Villa bandits near the border but Secretary Lansing announced during the day that no matter how far into Mexico it became necessary to increase their force, the United States would consider the expedition a punitive one to be undertaken without suppression of neutrals. For such action there is ample precedent in international law and in fact in the operations of the United States with Mexico.

How many of the twelve thousand troops now on the border will be employed has not fully been determined.

The general plan will be to distribute the infantry to guard the border towns while the cavalry will be sent for securing the mountains, deserts, streams and arroyos. In order not to weaken the defense of border towns it may be necessary to move other troops from interior posts to the border.

No prospect of using the National Guard exists in the situation tonight, but any larger scale of operations would involve it. No orders have been given to the navy. The fleet with more than 10,000 bluejackets and marines available for landing duty is on the winter drilling ground off Guantanamo, Cuba, within easy sailing distance of Mexican waters, should anti-American demonstrations or uprisings endanger other foreigners.

While the government counts the naval force as available there is every disposition to do nothing in the way of a naval demonstration which might be regarded as menacing Carranza, from whom the United States hopes and expects co-operation, passive at least, to the border troops.

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Heavy Fighting Continues in Vicinity of Verdun

By the Associated Press.

Throwing large masses of infantry against the French in the Corbeau to the northwest of Verdun, the Germans, after several attacks in which they were repulsed, have taken part of the wood front which the French had previously occupied.

The entire region about Verdun continues the scene of intense operations. West of Douaumont and the sector embracing the village of Vaux have been points against which the Germans have launched vicious infantry attacks, but at



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UNDER INDICTMENT, ASKS UNCLE SAM TO DETAIL THE CHARGES AGAINST HER

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Miss Anna F. Holch and her Russian wolfhound, "Scraps."

HAUMONT VILLAGE CRUMBLED AWAY UNDER GERMAN FIRE

By the Associated Press

Paris, March 10.—The story of the defense of Haumont, one of the heroic episodes of the struggle around the fortress of Verdun, as told to the Associated Press by a participant, reveals how French soldiers died on the spot under the concentrated fire of the masses of the infantry in order to gain time for the reserves to come up.

"The Germans concentrated their fire on Haumont at the outset," said the eyewitness. "The effect was such that little by little our advanced line weakened and at 6 o'clock on the evening of February 21 the Haumont woods were taken.

"The troops defending it resisted stoutly and won local successes, but the Germans came on line after line in increasing density. Throughout the night the shelling was continued and now with the inability of German ammunition to redoubled.

"The center and right, however, came on and what was left of our force retreated to new trenches southeast of Haumont, while machine guns decimated our assailants who had succeeded in advancing from the north and the northwest.

"But they were too numerous. They got into the hollow of the village and took the colonel's post in the rear, cutting fire to the redoubt by liquid flames projected through a cellar window. The colonel and his staff, who had grubbed rifles and were aided by the survivors, were on the point of being captured or burned alive.

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"With the machine guns left intact we made another stand and barred the road to the Germans from the Samoigne ravine marching toward the western edge of Haumont woods.

"Caught between the German shells and our own curtain of fire in front of the village, it was impossible for us to move either ahead or in the rear. We were cut off from all communication, the telephone and telegraph wires having been literally hashed by the shell-

ing. Our men installed in what remained of the defense works on the two flanks and in front of the village waited stoically under a storm of gatling fire for the attack.

"From ten big shells a minute to 10 o'clock the number went to twenty at 2 o'clock. Ruins piled on ruins, yet in the midst of the inferno our men preserved remarkable plaudicity.

"The village seemed to sink into the earth while the concrete redoubt on which we had counted crumbled and buried eighty men and guns and destroyed our ammunition depot. Still no one budged. What we then held was nothing more than a razed village with the earth upheaved and transformed into a series of crevices devoid of shelter. The only thing resisting was the redoubt occupied by our colonel."

"At 1 p.m. a German battalion advanced in three columns simultaneously from the east, the north and the northwest. Those of us who survived arose to meet this enveloping never. The machine guns that were still intact were fired with maximum speed, making holes in the enemy's ranks and obliging the German left wing to stop before our barbed wire.

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TOO MUCH COTTON IS WARNED AGAINST

W. P. G. HARDING OF FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD MAKES SPEECH IN BIRMINGHAM.

DIVERSIFICATION IS URGED

Producing Foodstuffs at Home Will Make South's Position Secure, Is Declared.

By the Associated Press

Birmingham, Ala., March 10.—Southern farmers were warned not to put all their eggs in one basket by relying on cotton as their only crop, in a speech tonight by W. P. G. Harding of the federal reserve board before the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce.

"I am told," said Mr. Harding, "that there are farmers in Alabama and perhaps in all Southern states who never have grown a stalk of corn. Let the farmers realize and I urge upon merchants and bankers the importance of persuading them that an increased acreage in cotton will be looked upon as an argument in favor of lower prices for the remainder of the crops being held, although it is by no means certain that a large acreage would yield a larger crop than a smaller and better cultivated area. Just suppose things turn out this year as some optimist predict."

"Suppose peace should be restored and there should spring up a greatly increased demand for cotton. Under such conditions a large crop would, of course, sell for a great deal of money, but with the experience of 1910 and 1911 before us, is there any reason to doubt that a moderate crop would sell for still more?" On the other hand, suppose the war continues; suppose, unhappily, this country should become involved—and remember that in times of stress when it comes to a choice between something to eat and something to wear, food must be provided at any cost, while clothing, clothes, can wait—then I ask, would we not be far better off with a moderate supply of cotton and an abundance of food supplies?

"Why scatter high-priced fertilizer over a large field when it would be more effective concentrated on a smaller? These matters must be determined now. A month hence will be too late. Let the farmers, the merchants and the bankers of the South take courage together and let the newspapers and those published at the county seats particularly advocate in every issue for the next six weeks and with all their force and power the doctrine of diversification and let them point out the dangers of the one-crop system."

Mr. Harding said that if the war continues six months longer the purchasing power of Europe will be seriously impaired and that prices in the countries at war already have enormous advanced. He declared that the cotton exchanges are not monomony institutions, but are operated by those who desire to gain. Market applications, he said, vary with the new conditions and the fact is realized that they depend primarily upon the supply. For the next three months at least, Mr. Harding said, the estimates of supply will be based upon the new crop acreage.

"What this acreage will be," he said, "in America depends upon the farmers of the South. Should they decide during the next few months to produce their foodstuffs at home and to plant cotton as a money crop their position will be secure, but if disregarding all warnings and portents of the times, they decide upon a policy of all cotton, they will be taking a tremendous risk which no prudent business man would care to assume."

Mr. Harding said the ability and disposition of the banks of the United States to take care of the legitimate needs of their customers as well as to carry well secured loans for others never has been greater than at present. All paper under discount with federal reserve banks March 6, Mr. Harding said, amounted to \$51,000,000, against total deposits in these institutions of \$454,761,000.

"In all sections of the country," he continued, "first-class commercial paper is sought for at abnormally low rates and I may say that for several months the chief concern of the federal reserve board over the monetary situation in this country for the immediate future has been that the unusually low rates prevailing in financial centers might lead to an unwise inflation of credits."

Mr. Harding said there is every reason to believe that the export of cotton will continue on about the present scale during the spring and summer and that there is little prospect of the unusually surplus of the present crop being carried over into next season.

Entente Allies Will Not Disarm Ships

By the Associated Press

Washington, March 10.—The Entente allies have agreed to inform the United States that they cannot accept the proposal in Secretary Lansing's recent circular memorandum that a modus vivendi be entered into for the disarmament of belligerent-owned merchant ships. Conferences between the allies on this subject have ended and formal replies to the American suggestion are expected in the near future.

In their replies, which, it is understood, will be couched in the friendliest terms, the allies will express an appreciation of the high motives which moved the United States government in the interests of humanity to endeavor to remove the dangers to the lives of non-combatants. But they will express the view that the proposition which the United States does not question, merchant ships for defense, would really amount to a change in the principle of international law which cannot be done during the progress of hostilities.

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Funeral Today of Jno. B. Earle Jr.

John B. Earle Jr. died early this morning at the residence 406 South Twentieth street. Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the residence Rev. O. E. Bryan, pastor of the Clay Street Baptist church, officiating. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery. Mr. Earle is survived by four brothers, Horace, Archie, Archibald and Mark, all of Waco, and one sister, Mrs. Prudie Jones of Waco.

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TAKE VILLA DEAD OR ALIVE PRESIDENT WILSON'S DEMAND

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Flood informed the house committee and Mr. Stone called a meeting of the members to consider the matter. General Funston also urged the cavalry to prevent as far as possible any discussion in congress and to block any effort that would interfere with the president or indicate that the United States is engaged in any but a purely punitive expedition.

In his action today it is pointed out the president is wholly within his constitutional prerogative to repeal invasion.

Leave Plans to Funston.

Indicates late tonight were that the carrying out of President Wilson's order that American troops re-enter Mexico to capture of kill Villa and his bandits would be left to the man on the ground, Gen. Frederick Funston. After a late conference with the president, Secretary Baker announced that Villa's men have been conserving their reduced store of cartridges and have no source from which to obtain more. Their guns are in bad condition and many weeks ago they lost practically all their artillery and machine guns. It is doubted here if Villa has any cannon or more than two or three guns with little ammunition for them. The killing at Columbus of Pablo Lopez deprived him of most efficient aide.

Officers of the general staff began at once the preparation of instructions for General Funston in accordance with his announcement. Their purpose was not revealed. Earlier in the day General Funston had suggested that the plans for troop movements across the border be kept secret. He

understands to add the element of surprise to his weapons for avenging the murder of Americans at Columbus. General Funston also urged the cavalry be sent to replace the mounted force he might withdraw from border patrol duty to form the expeditionary column or columns. Steps to comply with these were taken at the war department.

Whatever new troops are needed will be ordered promptly to the border. Officials of the department and Secretary Baker himself worked far into the night on details of possible troop movements, supplies and the like.

The secretary's call at the white house followed a busy day at the war department. The machinery of the general staff was set in motion immediately after President Wilson's decision to hunt down the raiders was announced at the close of the cabinet meeting. The war plans committee assembled and went over the situation.

Little detailed information as to the immediate situation on the Mexican side of the border is available here.

Such matters are under the jurisdiction of General Funston, who has his own intelligence office. The committee quickly reached the conclusion it is understood, that Funston must be left unhampered to work out the problem of pursuing the bandits with whatever force he thinks necessary, and at the same time to secure American border towns and ranches against repetitions of the Columbus raid.

Dragnet Is Contemplated.

The committee also assembled facts and figures in relation to a possible decision to sweep the whole of northern Mexico with a military dragnet to catch the bandits. Such a plan, it was said, while certain to end the disturbed conditions along the border, would involve the use of troops by the tens of thousands instead of regiments. Figures as to the force the committee thought necessary for operations of this character were not revealed. Immediately after they were submitted to Secretary Baker, however, and the latter arranged his conference with President Wilson and laid the sole situation before the commander in chief. The president's position evidently is summarized in his statement.

Some apprehension of the problem confronting General Funston may be gathered from information in possession of war and state department officials as to conditions across the border. General Funston telegraphed a conservative estimate of Villa's forces today at 3,000 men. Other reports indicate he had 5,000. Villa is understood, however, to be short of arms and ammunition which may prove an important factor in the struggle to come.

Whether Villa will concentrate his followers or continue to evade pursuit in scattered bands can only be guessed. Department officials realize, however, that the field of operations may include a territory approximately 400 miles long and as wide. In any of these 160,000 square miles Villa might

operate with a certain knowledge of every trail and water hole.

May Hide in Mountains.

Villa always has shown a preference through his years of activity for the mountains that parallel the boundary lines of the states of Chihuahua and Sonora when forced to retreat. There is reason to believe that he now is making his way west and south to seek shelter in the hills. He is known to practically know every peon there and in the south near Guerrero are the people among whom he was born.

Once back in the mountains and befriended by those who fear him as well as those who idolize him, the bandits capture will tax American ingenuity. In hiding and dodging from place to place he is recognized as an adept and once "the fox" was a popular sobriquet applied to him.

Should Villa concentrate his men the

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Mrs. Seth Barton French.

Because of her activity in Serbian war relief work, the life of Mrs. Seth Barton French, New York society woman, has been repeatedly threatened. She has turned the threatening letters over to U. S. authorities.

COULD NOT STRAIGHTEN UP

**Had to Go All Humped
Over and Suffered Great
Pain in Sides and Back.**

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CURRENT EVENTS in WOMAN'S SPHERE

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KATE FRIEND, Editor

MRS. T. C. EDMONDSON ENTERTAINS FOR HUSBAND

This evening, in their own home, out on West Morrow, Mrs. T. C. Edmondson is mistress unseen for an assembly of Mr. Edmondson's friends by invitation.

SAINT PAUL'S GUILD BEGINS LENTEN MARKETS

With Mrs. Sam Hanna chairman, Saint Paul's Guild begins annual Lenten Market Sales. This is a period of dainties for the Sunday dinner. The sale holds in the parish building, and will continue each Saturday during Lent.

TWENTY DAISIES MEET WITH MISS ZEPHA CROSS

Quite a pleasant hour was spent by the South Side club of girls, the Twenty Daisies, on Thursday. It was Miss Zepha Cross, who introduced her sister, Mrs. McCall from Belton, and had as visitor by invitation, Miss Ruby McKinney.

GARDNER GILLESPIE GOES TO WED MISS CORNWALL

Today notes the departure of Gardner Gillespie for New Jersey, where on next Saturday he wed Miss Esther Cornwell. Mrs. Gillespie accompanied the bride-to-be, and in Atlanta, she will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Jerome C. Bean. The ceremony will be followed by only a day or two in New York City, from where the journey home will begin. In the coming of this bride, society welcomes no stranger. Two visits to Miss Enrique Smith returns Miss Cornwall a bride to the large circle whom she left a popular society belle.

MERRY MATRONS MEET WITH MRS. F. M. COMPTON

The Merry Matrons always find peculiar pleasure when Mrs. F. M. Compton is hostess because it was Mrs. Compton who conceived the idea of bringing the matrons of North Fifth street together in this desirable company. In entertainment glee club Mrs. Compton welcomed a former charter member, Mrs. Max Roosch from Houston, also the Mesdames John Dockery, former member; F. J. Lennox and D. S. Dodson. No details other than luncheon and pretty flowers about the rooms were introduced.

MRS. HENRY BELL HOSTESS FOR MISS KATE EDMOND

Another in the friendship showers which has assured Miss Kate Edmund that she is remembered, came with Mrs. Henry Bell hostess during Thursday afternoon. Having lost several in recent fire, it was a pleasure of these friends to shower Miss Edmund with gifts and fancy bits of wearing apparel. Mrs. Bell afforded social pleasure for the hour. Her guests were the Mesdames M. D. Baker, Shapley Ross, Frank Boggs of Michigan, Chapin Seely, W. A. Badger of Ohio, W. W. Fryor, Albert Clifton and Sidney Burrows.

THURSDAY AUCTION BRIDGE WITH MRS. ED LAUGHLIN

Mrs. W. P. Killingsworth won the plate and Mrs. Charles Link, a visitor to the game, won the pretty bridge table cover, in the weekly game of the Saturday Auction bridge which found Mrs. Ed Laughlin hostess. As this award was made, the club adjourned to greet the contestants, Bolivar Nettes, Neff and Robertson, who called and enjoyed the refreshments offered by Mrs. Laughlin. To play hands of those withdrawn for Lent were the Mesdames William Holt, Link, Ludwell Williams and Roberts. On next Thursday the club plays with Mrs. Charles Smith.

MR. AND MRS. E. M. RAY HAVE DINNER COURTESY

In the hospitable welcome given Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ray from Saint Joseph, Missouri, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Williamson bespoke Thursday evening. Their provision for pleasure was a pretty buffet dinner, using the doubled joulous and the touches of table green color, the touches of table cloth, was given, smaller tables occupied room space, at that interval in which all could banter merry words. Guests were, other than those mentioned, Mrs. Mitchel Lyon of North Carolina, with the Messrs. and Mesdames Walter Gregg, James Riley, M. Holdeman, Frank Wheeler, W. O. Van Wyck with Franklin Lindsey.

MR. AND MRS. ANDERSON HAVE HILLSBORO GUESTS

For Thursday evening, a party motored down from Hillsboro, for a buffet supper with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson. Several from the city were added, and Mrs. Anderson's provision made for a charming little effect supper. In addition to the tasteful decorative touches, which Mrs. Anderson knows so well how to give, small tables were arranged, the supper service coming from the large center table. Enjoying this were, Mr. and Mrs. George Sturzis, Mrs. Abernathy, William Morrow, from Hillsboro, Ben Heughton from Dallas, Gaines Haw-

WINS ATTENTION WITH HAREM VEIL



Mrs. ERNESTINE DREYFUS

HONOREE AT LUNCHEON

Following a very informal talk given in quite the interesting manner, Mrs. Ernestine Dreyfus, national secretary of the Council of Jewish Women, was the guest of honor at luncheon. In the gold room of the Raleigh thirty associated to enjoy a social hour with the distinguished guest. In addition to orchestra through the luncheon, and piano numbers from Miss Edith Adelman, Mrs. Marian Herz, president of the local council, introduced several speakers. These occupied intervals between the five courses. Dr. Warren and Dr. Louis Roddy with the Mesdames Gabriel Bodenheimer, S. J. Davidson and Alfred Godshimer were the speakers. Special entertainments were marked by the names of the Mesdames Adelman, Clara Archenhold, Gus Rosenthal, Maurice Landman, Philip Goldsmith, Harry Sachar, Isador Segal, Sam Freund, Asher Sanger, Alexander Sanger, Sam Sanger, Charles Sanger and Miss Letta May Sanger of Dallas, A. Novich, Haman, I. Berkman, Ben Ettelson, Nathan Naman, Joseph Shmuel, Louis Roddy, Isaac Simmons and D. E. Hirshfield.

MRS. DURHAM HOSTESS FOR THE REVIEW CLUB

On Tuesday afternoon, the attractive home of Mrs. C. K. Durham, 700 North Nineteenth street, will be open to friends of the Review club and those who enjoy an hour of meritorious reading and music. The Review club committed to do its part toward the state endowment fund. The club women, however, with coin plate. No invitations are extended, for all are welcome. The club is this year studying "Modern Drama," hence with interest in that Miss Carrie Weymss will give a reading of Ibsen's "Doll House." Miss Weymss has given this to paid audience in Dallas. The European club is interested and will furnish three talented members, the Mesdames Joseph, Wren and E. E. Hadix with Miss Louise Leeson for musical numbers and piano. The club members who will assist Mrs. Durham are, the Mesdames L. R. Armstrong, William Appell, R. J. Alexander, J. F. Cason, F. L. Christman, M. B. Davis, C. K. Durham, W. H. Forrester, B. C. Garland, R. H. Hill, Forest Jackson, D. J. McWilliams, Joseph Speight, Lena Barrett Starr, O. M. Weatherby, C. L. Watson and Miss Mary Littlefield.

**LITERARY CLUB MEETS
WITH MRS. W. H. POOL**

No guests were present with the Literary club on Thursday afternoon since it was the annual business session. Mrs. W. H. Pool was the hostess. Assisted by the daughter, Mrs. A. P. Hickson, who gave information to the social hour came the club adjourned. Election of delegates to General Federation were, Mrs. Forrest Gommie, delegate, and Mrs. W. E. Stetson alternate, for the district meeting at Brenham. Mrs. J. W. Downs, delegate, and Mrs. W. M. Foster, alternate. Through special invitation, Brenham is inviting presidents of clubs which means that Mrs. Thomas Caulfield receives Brenham hospitality. The nominating committee made a report, which report was ratified by election. The new regular officers are, president, Mrs. William Foster; vice-president, the Mesdames M. B. White, R. B. Spencer; recording secretary, Mrs. F. A. Winchell; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. G. Guitard, and treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Powell. In readjusting the membership roster, Mrs. Walter Plunkett was returned to former membership, with the Mesdames T. F. Bryan and Bolivar Nettes elected new members. Mrs. John T. Benner as chairman of the program committee reported an outline which proved quite acceptable. This is quite a diversified program, with continuance of the study in present-day drama. This is only provision for the printing committee with the new year book. The present officers and members continue through the current year. Mrs. Mattie D. Willis resigned owing to pressure of duties with her studies. She was heartily accorded privileges of the club at any time.

Society Notes

WOMEN'S SOCIETY

While no time is definite for the coming it is the intention of Mrs. Arch Grinnell to return from Brownwood with her mother, Mrs. R. B. Dupree, to take permanent residence here.

Mrs. B. D. Orgain has accompanied Captain Orgain from Bastrop for Baltimore where he will conduct specialists at the Johns Hopkins hospital.

Mr. L. Brockenborough of Columbus street leaves soon to pay a visit to the wee grandson, down at Houston.

It is pleasing to the girlhood friends of Mrs. Constance Walker Johnson, to meet Dr. Johnson. Dr. and Mrs. Johnson are down from St. Louis to winter in Texas. They are at the Raleigh for a few days.

Those of us who take kindly to bits of literary chit-chat are pleased to hear that Tennyson's "Bells" is the greatest new year poem ever penned. By the way, another poem on "Bells" deserves attention now. This is Longfellow's "I Hear the Bells on Christmas Day." How appropriate are these to present conditions. Longfellow composed the verses when strife was on between the states; now, his thoughts apply to strife between nations.

The emphasis put upon frequent reference to the "Garden of Allah" in the play on Thursday rather takes us to a little Garden of Allah of our own: the front gallery, these balmy sunshiny afternoons, where we can drift and dream.

Letters continue to come from Mrs. A. W. Koch, in which is the message that another exposition for the middle west has been visited and that it suffers in comparison to the artistic and dainty flavor of our own Cotton Palace. Mrs. Koch is sincerely loyal to Waco's exposition. She observes with a critical and an intelligent eye.

The Beau Nota will not have a bi-weekly session this afternoon owing to absences from the city of several of the members of the club.

It is now the plan of Mrs. William Edmond to take immediate steps to

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E. M. Arledge has returned home to Rockdale.

Mrs. George Pearce of Ballinger is passing visitor of this week to Mrs. T. W. Robertson, North Fifth street. Mrs. Pearce is now in Dallas.

Mrs. W. S. Gillespie of Rose Park place, takes passage today for the Gillespie-Cornwall marriage in New Jersey.

Dr. and Mrs. Irvine Colgin with Miss Monette Colgin of West Austin reached their home from Chicago on Friday.

Miss Genie Moore of New York City, who is visiting Texas relatives, will leave within a very few days to be with Mrs. Seth Strong in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Moore, Jr., of the south side, will go up to Fort Worth for the horse show.

Mrs. Thomas McCullough of Colonial Hill has returned from Bastrop.

Mrs. W. E. Hirschfield, Seventeenth and West, is in Dallas for a few days.

After her homecoming of Friday was that of Mrs. Robert Allen for Hearne. She had spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. T. A. Blair on North Fifteenth street.

Mrs. McCall of Belton is guest of her sister, Miss Zephia Cross, on the south side.

Mrs. Eva Prendergast of Washington street is at home from Hillsboro.

Following a few days with Miss Zephia Fitzhugh, Sixteenth and West, Mrs. John Simmons is leaving today for her home in Midlothian.

Mrs. Walter Nolle of Seguin is with her sister, Miss Nellie Dancy, of Columbus street, for a few days.

Mrs. Robert Silvers of North Fifteenth street spent Thursday in Marlin.

Mrs. Pitluk, who had been guest of Mrs. D. E. Hirschfield, Franklin street, is again at home in Austin.

Mrs. W. B. Hay and Miss Frances Hayes, Eleventh and Jefferson, are spending a few days in the Henry Herndon household, Tyler.

Society Personals

After a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. W. Harrell, South Fifth street, Mrs.

Lauré's guilt shows in every portrait he paints, for all of them show the accusing eyes and features of Camille. Therese herself cannot regain her composure for the briefest moment.

On the very pages of the book she is reading there fades in the picture of the slain Camille. The contemplation of these miserably confronted slayers forms one of the early climaxes of "The Marble Heart."

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VILLA, DEAD OR ALIVE.

If there is any one proposition upon which the country will stand solidly behind President Wilson without a quibble it is the president's decision to send a body of American troops into Mexico to take Francisco Villa and his bandit band, dead or alive. We have been in sympathy with the president's policy toward Mexico all along, believing that he would not have been justified in an armed invasion of that country for the offenses that have been committed heretofore, but now that the villains have crossed our border and murdered innocent men and women and burned the property of non-combatants and non-partisans, solely out of revenge for this country's recognition of Carranza, the president would have been unworthy of the trust that the American people have reposed in him had he not ordered a retaliation and given instructions that the wily cattle thief and plunderer be taken, alive or dead, just as the occasion may warrant.

Safety for Americans in Mexico would have been guaranteed long ago but for Villa. The murder of eighteen Americans at Santa Ysabel would never have occurred but for him. And the battle cry of "Death to the gringos" would never have assumed portentous significance but for Villa's intense hatred of Americans, his jealousy and his insane desire for revenge. A man without honor or principle, an ignorant but daring son of the wilds, a selfish bigot who knows no such thing as patriotism, whose meanness is matched only by his egotism, he deserved nothing less than death in his tracks even before his assault upon American citizens on this side of the border. Now that he has crossed our boundary with the avowed purpose of "shooting up Columbus and making a torch of every man, woman and child," and succeeded in murdering a number of American citizens and destroying much valuable property, this country would be recreant to its duty and be despised in the eyes of the world if it did not immediately dispatch troops to pursue him and exterminate him at all costs.

There will be those who will insist that a sufficient army shall be sent into Mexico to conquer the whole nation, but that is far from the president's plans. He has made it quite clear that his whole aim is to send a punitive expedition into the country to capture and punish Villa, and in so doing he will not be embarrassing the Carranza government, which has been recognized by the United States, but will be aiding that government, for Carranza has demonstrated that he is powerless to capture his chief enemy. When Villa and his band of raiders have been executed our soldiers will return to this country to receive the plaudits of the nation and we trust their return will not be long delayed.

We shall worry no more about the whereabouts of Felix Diaz until Francisco Villa has been hunted down and consigned to his proper fate.

Rev. L. D. Anderson, pastor of the First Christian church of Fort Worth, has been elected president of Texas Christian university and will accept.

The fact that Justice Hughes could have the republican presidential nomination merely for the asking, and declines to ask, proves that it isn't worth much, according to the Dallas News.

"Babies fret because they cannot swear," a Chicago physician told the mothers of that city at a baby show Wednesday. But there are little tots hardly past the baby age in Texas who have learned to swear and some of their parents think it is "real cute."

HOW PROSPEROUS ARE THE RAILWAYS, IN FACT?

The railways of the United States in the last six months of 1915 earned only 3.69 per cent on their property investment, in spite of the large increases in their earnings as compared with 1914, says the Railway Age Gazette in an analysis of the present condition of the railroads. This is a smaller percentage of return on the investment than was earned in the last six months of 1912, the last corresponding period when earnings were good, and in that year the percentage of return was less than it was in 1906. As the earnings in the second half of the fiscal year, from January 1 to June 30, are never as large as in the first half, the Railway Age Gazette predicts that "if the rate of increase in net operating income shown in the last six months of the calendar year 1915 is maintained and only maintained during the six months, January to June, 1916, the average net return earned by all the railways on their property investment in the fiscal year, which will end on June 30, 1916, will be less than 5 per cent."

While the total operating revenue per mile in the last six months of 1915 was 11.8 per cent more than in the corresponding months of 1914, the Railway Age Gazette says, "It was only 2.8 per cent more than in the corresponding months of 1912. While there was an increase in operating expenses of 2.3 per cent as compared with 1914, there was actually a reduction of over 1 per cent as compared with 1912. While there was an increase in net operating revenue of 33 per cent over 1914, the increase over 1912 was only 10 per cent. The increase in taxes over 1914 was 5.8 per cent, while over 1912 it was 11.5 per cent. Consequently, while the increase in net operating income per mile over 1914 was almost 58 per cent, it was, as compared with 1912, only 2.4 per cent. On June 30, 1912, the cost of road and equipment per mile was \$69,420. On June 30, 1914, this had increased to \$74,781, and on June 30, 1915, to \$78,682, an advance over 1912 of 13 per cent.

Therefore, the net operating income during the last six months of 1912, \$2,225 per mile, was 3.2 per cent on property investment; in the last six months of 1914 the net operating income, \$1,67 per mile, was only 2.36 per cent on the cost of road and equipment, and in the last six months of 1915 the net operating income, \$2,435 a mile, was 3.69 per cent on property investment. In other words, the investment per mile in road and equipment increased 13 per cent between 1912 and 1915, while net operating income for six months increased only 2.4 per cent; and in consequence the percentage of return earned on property investment in the last six months of 1915 was actually less than in the last six months of 1912, although much more than in the last six months of 1914.

The foregoing figures certainly do show that the railways are doing much better than they were a year ago. At the same time they certainly do not show that they are enjoying a degree of prosperity warranting large increases in wages and a cessation of efforts to secure increases in their rates and a reformation of regulation. They demonstrate that the railways are doing much better than they were a year ago. At the same time they certainly do not show that they are enjoying a degree of prosperity warranting large increases in wages and a cessation of efforts to secure increases in their rates and a reformation of regulation. They demonstrate that the railways cannot grant the increase of \$100,000, or 25 per cent, in wages, which their train service employees are demanding, without increase in their rates. If these employees are entitled to an increase of 25 per cent, then all employees are entitled to it, and this would cost \$532,000,000 a year. The figures certainly demonstrate that the railways cannot make any such enormous increases in wages without extremely large increases in rates.

Ten years ago, in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906, the railroads earned 5.39 per cent on property investment. Then began the successful movements for large increases in wages and reductions in rates, and never since have they been able to earn that large a percentage of return. Does not the public believe that it is about time that employees who want higher wages and shippers and travelers who want lower rates should be told to stand back a while and give railway investors a chance? If there is to be a real and lasting revival of railway expenditures and expansion, the claims of investors, whether present or prospective, must no longer be subordinated to the claims of any other class or classes of persons whatever.

The American soldier who hunts down and kills Villa will earn the undying gratitude of the American people and will render a distinct public service to Mexico as well as the United States.

Now that Congressman Jeff McLean has been forced to resume his seat and his resolution has been laid on the table, we think he should substitute a semi-colon for that colon which he semi-afte in the writing of his notes, says the New Orleans States.

The German press sees a distinct victory for President Wilson in the action of congress in tabling the various warning resolutions. It is now in order for those recalcitrant members of congress to hush their mouths.

PRESIDENCY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.

The following editorial expression from a recent issue of the Baptist Standard, which is edited by an alumnus of the University of Texas, will find approval at the hands of at least the great majority of the alumni and ex-students of that institution, we are persuaded, and we are passing it on in the hope that it will have a larger reading than it has previously received:

"We are greatly concerned about the type of man who is to be elected president of the State university. We believe that the entire citizenship of this state is interested in this matter, regardless of religious or political affiliations. This institution belongs to all of us. Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists, Disciples, Catholics, Jews and others have their own schools and patronize them to a large extent, but all are profoundly concerned in the welfare of the University of Texas. They all pay taxes to maintain this institution, as heartily as do the men who are not affiliated with any religious organization. We dare say that most of the support, financial and otherwise, of this institution, apart from its endowment fund, comes from men and women who have positive religious convictions, whether Jew or Gentile. Furthermore, most of the students come from such homes. The Methodists, Presbyterians and Baptists, for instance, contribute practically one-half of the entire student body of the State university. They feel, therefore, that they should have some voice, indirectly, at least, in the selection of a man for so responsible a position.

"First of all, we would say that no political consideration whatever should influence the regents in the selection of this man. Expediency, whether political, financial, social or religious, should not be the determining factor in his election.

"The man who stands at the head of our great state institution should be an executive whose scholarship is so broad and thorough as to command the respect of all educational institutions in this and other lands. To be sure, he should be a man with marked executive ability; but, first of all, his academic and professional training should rank equal to that of any college or university president in America. Under the leadership in recent years of men whose scholarship is unquestioned, it has attained a place among the educational institutions of America which we cannot afford to lose.

"Therefore, the net operating income during the last six months of 1912, \$2,225 per mile, was 3.2 per cent on property investment; in the last six months of 1914 the net operating income, \$1,67 per mile, was only 2.36 per cent on the cost of road and equipment, and in the last six months of 1915 the net operating income, \$2,435 a mile, was 3.69 per cent on property investment. In other words, the investment per mile in road and equipment increased 13 per cent between 1912 and 1915, while net operating income for six months increased only 2.4 per cent; and in consequence the percentage of return earned on property investment in the last six months of 1915 was actually less than in the last six months of 1912, although much more than in the last six months of 1914.

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We agree with the editor of the Standard that it would be wholly inadvisable to urge for the presidency of the University of Texas, a non-sectarian institution, any man because of his affiliation with any church or religious faith, but we believe the Standard is correct in its contention that the head of so important an institution should at least be a believer in the principles of righteousness as set forth in the Bible.

If you get an excess of invitations to dinings out during the Lenten season it is a safe bet that your friends know you are observing Lent and will therefore be compelled to decline, observes one of our exchanges.

Another evidence of the self-control which the majority of lawyers have developed is furnished in the fact that they are able to keep their advice until somebody comes along who is willing to pay for it. advises one of our exchanges.

A Kansas man is delivering an interesting lecture entitled: "The Trial of Jesus from a Lawyer's Standpoint." Now let us have a trial of some lawyers from Jesus' standpoint and then count the number that go behind the bars and play checkerboard with their noses, says the New Orleans States.

If the press dispatches, which declare that the destruction by fire of thirty-one cottages occupied by negroes in Monroe, La., entailed a loss of \$30,000, are correct then it is demonstrated that Monroe property owners provide much costlier quarters for their negro tenants than is the case in most other towns of the South.

The German press sees a distinct victory for President Wilson in the action of congress in tabling the various warning resolutions. It is now in order for those recalcitrant members of congress to hush their mouths.

Rusk Dairy Burns.

By the Associated Press.

Rusk, March 10.—The Iron Mountain dairy barns, situated near here, were destroyed by fire early today together with nineteen dairy cows,

Veteran General at Side of Crown Prince in Verdun Drive

Special to the Morning News.

Amsterdam, March 11.—When, late in February, the German howitzers launched their murderous fire against the French line in the Verdun region, giving the prelude to the furious battle of the kaiser, Count von Haeseler went to the front to act in an advisory capacity to the crown prince.

No more picturesque figure could have been commissioned by the kaiser for the important work. Exhollenz Gottlieb is the ideal of the German soldier world. Field Marshal General Gottlieb, Count von Haeseler, celebrated his eightieth birthday on January 18. This is the fourth great war in which he has played an active part.

As a young officer he fought in 1864, and as a member of the staff of Prince Frederick Karl of Prussia he participated in the campaigns of 1866 and 1870.

Despite his age Count von Haeseler is one of the most modern and undoubtedly one of the most important of German generals. He is held in high esteem by the soldiers as an example of the true Spartan. He drinks only milk, abhors alcohol and in this direction has had a tremendous moral influence upon his troops even in time of peace.

On horseback—riding is the aged general's favorite sport—he presents a striking picture. He sits as straight as the youngest recruit and his flowing white hair.

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Announcements

Justice J. J. Padgett

Announces his candidacy for re-election as Justice of the Peace

Precinct 1, place 2, subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1916.

SEM NIX

Announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of

PUBLIC WEIGHER

Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 22.

EDGAR WITT

Candidate for

COUNTY JUDGE

Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 22.

GEO. W. TILLEY

(Ex-Sheriff)

Candidate for TAX COLLECTOR MC'LENNAN COUNTY

Subject to action of Democratic primary, July 22, 1916.

Geo. N. Denton

Announces his candidacy for DISTRICT JUDGE, NINETEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

To succeed Judge McCullough. Subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 22.

LON WORTHAM

Candidate for re-election

COUNTY TREASURER

McLennan County.

Subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 22, 1916.

W. J. Barcus

Announces for the office of COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Subject to the action of Democratic Primary July 22.

The News is authorized to announce

W. M. Wintin

As a candidate for

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Precinct No. 2.

This includes all of the Fifth Ward of Waco.

The Morning News is authorized to announce

JOHN B. McNAMARA

For re-election to the office of

COUNTY ATTORNEY

Of McLennan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 22.

LEE R. DAVIS

Candidate for re-election to the office of

TAX COLLECTOR MC'LENNAN COUNTY

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G. T. MORRIS

Announces as a candidate for the office of

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NOTED AUTOISTS TO RACE UP MOUNTAIN



WACO AND NEW YORK AT 3:30 P. M. TODAY

FIRST EXHIBITION GAME OF SEASON TAKES PLACE AT KATY PARK THIS AFTERNOON.

CLOSE CONTEST IS EXPECTED

Ball and Naylor Scheduled to Do the Twirling for Navigators in Opening Event.

At 2:30 sharp this afternoon the Waco Navigators and the New York Giants will mix at Katy Park for the first exhibition baseball game of the season. The game Sunday afternoon also will begin at 3:30, published reports that the games would be called at 4 o'clock being erroneous.

This game will afford the Waco fans their first opportunity to see the material working from which the 1916 team is to be selected. Manager Ellis Hardy has been working the team in easy fashion but believes they are in condition to give a good account of themselves. Ball and Naylor are scheduled to do the twirling today, Causey and Donaldson on Sunday. Smith and Jacobs will do the receiving.

It has been expected little heads the Waco batting order. The little left fielder, who will be one of the fastest men in the league this season, is followed by Coyle, who shines in second place. Conner and August, both of whom will be placed during the season, occupy the second base, occupy the third place and it wouldn't take much of a guesser to figure old Jesse James in the clean-up position. Tanner, Wohleben, Grubb or Chowns, James or Smith and Naylor or Ball, conclude the line-up.

The Giant line-up is as follows: Farrell, center field; Jacobson, right field; Bush, right field; Merkle, first base; Bond, shortstop; Babington, second base; Scheper, third base; Kenny, catcher; Ritter, Palmer and Kramer, pitchers. Merkle is the only real veteran, although Brainard, ex-Oiler, was a Giant all last season. However, the others are trying hard to annex a regular berth with McGraw's aggregation.

The only man on the Waco squad not in prime condition is Tom Toland, who is suffering with a sprained ligament of the shoulder. The young physician has ordered the big catcher man to stay off on a uniform for the next few days, but says he will be all right in a short time. Reilly is still busy training down and it is hardly probable that he will be called on in either of these first two games.

So far the pitchers have just been lobbing them over, as Manager Hardy is not exerting himself to keep them from working up to speed. The Waco team, however, will be given an opportunity to uncork their entire assortment this afternoon. If Ball is as good a little pitcher as Al Walters thinks he is, he will be a class flinger, even if the lordly Buffs did not keep him from having a chance. Come to think of it, though, can anybody remember any of them having won many games for Houston last year?

That new grandstand that everybody has been hearing so much about is ready for occupancy. It is a jin-dandy and, added to the fact that this is the first game of the season, should be comfortably filled at least today and tomorrow.

The team that will represent Waco is the team that will represent the Y. M. C. A., as the others are staying. Mr. Dinsmoor said his men were in excellent condition for the championship game with Waco Hi tonight.

The game will be cated at \$15 o'clock and the two best high school basketball teams in the state will fight it out for the championship. Waco Hi has the best team in the history and Mineral Wells' team is strong. Mineral Wells' coach said last night that every wearer of the Y was ready for the game of his life.

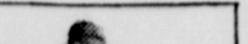
It will be the same old line-up for Waco with Knebel at center, Durney and Magerity forwards, and Davis Hill and Prinzing guards. The teams are about evenly matched in weight and weight has lost a conference game this season.

A large crowd is expected out and additional seats have been placed in the Y gym in order that there may be room for all. This will be the last basketball game of the season, as it will definitely establish the high school championship of Texas.

New Wall Paper at Cameron's—Adv.

Athletic Coaching New Course Offered

BREAKING WORLD'S RECORD ON SKIS



Special to the Morning News. College Station, March 10.—Teachers who have aspirations to add coaching to their list of accomplishments, coaches who know only the sport and who broaden their knowledge of the other branches of athletics, will have an opportunity of studying the theory as well as the practical side of handling athletes at the rural life school and summer normal to be conducted at A. & M. college June 16 to July 29.

D. V. Graves, head baseball and basketball coach and assistant football coach at A. & M. will direct this feature of the annual summer session. Graves was a distinguished athlete at the University of Missouri, from which institution he graduated, in three major sports, football, basketball and baseball. After considerable experience as a high school coach and teacher, he became director of physical education school at Battle Creek, Mich. For four years prior to his coming to A. & M. he was head coach at the University of Alabama in all four sports.

Through the interest in this organization and administration of athletics in secondary schools will be given by Mr. Graves. The theoretical instruction will include work on financing athletics, dieting and training for athletics and the psychology of athletics. The practical side of the instruction will include actual work on the field. In football this practical work will advance sufficiently to permit the running of signals.

Lessons and demonstrations will be used and all equipment the college will be available for this instruction.

There will be many young men who will enter the teaching field this year who could fill better positions if they were to take care of the athletics of the public schools, said Dr. J. O. Morrison, director of the summer school. "It is to assist these young men and to help the fellow who is capable of coaching only open broad his field that are giving this work," Graves said.

The registrar announces the publication of a bulletin giving full details for the rural life school and summer normal. This bulletin may be had by writing the registrar, College Station.

KAUFF SIGNS CONTRACT.

By the Associated Press. New York, March 10.—Benny Kauff, former star of the Brooklyn Federal league club, today signed a contract to play with the Giants and will leave here this afternoon for the training camp at Marlin, Texas.

BROWNS RELEASE PITCHER.

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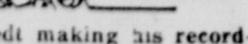
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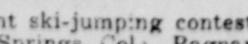
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Ragnar Omstedt making his record-breaking jump.

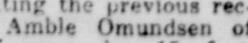


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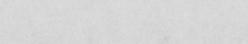


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"Marble Heart"

TODAY ONLY

A Scarlet Sin
A Scarlet Sinner
A conscience torn

IT'S A FOX

A KEYSTONE COMEDY on the same bill is a riot. Yes, the Keystone is a riot. Coming tomorrow—

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"DON QUIXOTE"

HIPPODROME

WHERE WACO IS ENTERTAINED

Railway Time Table

Houston & Texas Central.	
Northbound.	Southbound.
No. 65 Arrives Waco.....	6:30 a.m.
No. 63 Arrives Waco.....	5:25 p.m.
Southbound.	
No. 62 Leaves Waco.....	12:25 p.m.
No. 66 Leaves Waco.....	10:15 a.m.
H. C. Motor Car Service	
Leaves Waco.....	8:00 a.m.
Arrives Bremond.....	10:00 a.m.
Arrives Waco.....	12:15 p.m.
Leaves Waco.....	5:00 p.m.
Arrives Waco.....	5:00 p.m.
Arrives Waco.....	6:25 p.m.
Cotton S. S. & A. P.	
No. 4 Leaves.....	7:00 a.m.
No. 2 Leaves.....	8:10 p.m.
No. 1 Arrives.....	8:50 a.m.
No. 3 Arrives.....	7:50 p.m.
No. 1 (To Gatesville, Hamilton and Remmache) Leaves.....	11:05 a.m.
No. 2 (From Gatesville, Hamilton and Comanche) Arrives.....	5:10 p.m.
Cotton Belt Motor Service	
No. 5 Motor Car to Hamilton, Leaves.....	5:30 p.m.
Arrives Waco.....	10:30 a.m.
No. 6 Motor Car to Hamilton, Arrives.....	10:30 a.m.
Train No. 51 Leaves.....	6:00 a.m.
Train No. 52 Leaves.....	2:50 p.m.
Train No. 53 arrives.....	9:50 p.m.
Train No. 54 arrives.....	9:25 a.m.
(Trains No. 53 and 54 now run between Waco and Yaquima, via Fort Worth.)	
No. 5 (For the North) leaves.....	7:30 a.m.
No. 5 (From South) arrives.....	8:45 a.m.
No. 5 (For the South) leaves.....	5:15 p.m.
No. 5 (From North) arrives.....	6:30 p.m.
All above trains now stop at Yaquima.	
Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad.	
Southbound.	
No. 9—"Katy Limited" for Houston, Austin and San Antonio.....	12:15 p.m.
No. 7—"Texas Special" for Austin and San Antonio.....	3:05 p.m.
Leaves Waco.....	3:05 p.m.
No. 5—"Katy Flyer" for Houston and Galveston—Leaves.....	11:45 p.m.
No. 25—"Katy Flyer" for Austin and San Antonio—Leaves.....	11:55 p.m.
No. 3—"San Antonio Local" for Austin and San Antonio—Leaves.....	7:30 p.m.
No. 1—"Gainesville Local" leaves.....	10:15 p.m.
Northbound.	
No. 6—"Katy Flyer" for St. Louis and Kansas City, via Dallas—Leaves.....	4:45 a.m.
No. 9—"Katy Flyer" for St. Louis and Kansas City, via Fort Worth—Leaves.....	4:35 a.m.
No. 8—"Texas Special" for St. Louis and Kansas City, via Dallas—Leaves.....	2:00 p.m.
No. 10—"Katy Limited" for St. Louis and Kansas City, via Dallas and Fort Worth—Leaves.....	4:50 p.m.
No. 22—"Fort Worth Local"—Leaves.....	5:00 p.m.
No. 3—"San Antonio Local"—Arrives Texas Central Branch, Westbound.....	7:35 p.m.
No. 21 leaves.....	8:00 p.m.
No. 23 leaves.....	8:10 p.m.
Southbound.	
No. 22 arrives.....	6:30 a.m.
No. 24 arrives.....	2:35 p.m.
SOUTHERN TRACTION COMPANY TIME TABLE.	
Leaving.	
Local Cars: Leaves Waco for Dallas and intermediate points 6:15 a.m., 8:15 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 2:15 p.m., 4:15 p.m. (The last two cars will run on intermediate points. Car leaving 6:15 p.m. runs only to West. Car leaving 10:15 p.m. runs only to Hillside.)	
Limited Cars: Leaves Waco for Dallas and intermediate points (stopping only at cities and towns), 5:10, 7:10, 9:10 and 11:10 a.m.; 1:10, 3:10 and 5:10 p.m.	
Local cars will arrive in Waco. From Hillsboro and intermediate points 6:15 a.m., from Dallas and intermediate points 8:25 and 10:25 a.m., 12:25, 2:25, 4:25, 6:25, 8:25 and 10:25 p.m., 12:25, 2:25, 4:25, 6:25, 8:25 and 10:25 p.m. (Cars running 8:25 a.m., 10:25 p.m. and 12:25 p.m. run on Limited lines). Cars from West will arrive 7:35 p.m.	
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INTERNATIONAL AND GREAT NORTHERN.	
Northbound.	
No. 16 arrives.....	5:00 a.m.
No. 16 departs.....	5:55 a.m.
No. 14 arrives.....	5:35 p.m.
No. 14 departs.....	5:40 p.m.
Southbound.	
No. 15 arrives.....	10:32 a.m.
No. 15 departs.....	10:52 a.m.
No. 17 arrives.....	11:07 p.m.
No. 17 departs.....	11:12 p.m.

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CHARTER COMMITTEE DISCUSSES TAXATION OF PERSONAL ASSETS

THEATRES

HIPPODROME

"The Marble Heart"

Sometimes the theme of a play takes such a hold upon the men and women called upon to portray the varying roles that it lifts the actors entirely out of themselves and converts them into creatures strange even to themselves.

Such a thing has happened in the William Fox feature film "The Marble Heart." Louise Rial and Walter Miller are so real in their remarkable roles that no one in an audience watching the picture ever could be convinced that they were merely actors playing parts. They are the actual participants in a great and tragic domestic drama living and feeling every emotion; not merely people trying to duplicate fancied emotions set forth at the point of an author's pen.

Louise Rial as the paralytic mother could not have been more real and helpless or more terribly accusatory

Controlling and governing the cemeteries of the city and Oakwood especially, was considered at the meeting of the charter revision committee last night, centering about which provision is one of the hardest fights between the advocates of the different methods of governing this department of the city. The taxing of securities and personal assets was also discussed, resulting finally in referring back to the city commissioners, with a vote of approval, some recommendations made by Mayor Riggins to the city government.

There were two reports concerning the operation of Oakwood and other cemeteries under the control of the city, one made by the minority part of the cemetery committee, which provides for Oakwood to be governed as it is now, and the other recommendation made by the majority, providing to have complete control of improvements, expenditures and other departments of the cemetery. It further provides that the funds belonging to the association shall be deposited with the city treasurer and vouchers shall be honored only when signed by the president and secretary of the board.

This board also shall have the power of recommending to the city commissioners what laws and ordinances shall govern the cemetery. It shall be elected for two years except for the first election, at which time four of the members shall be elected for one year and the remaining five members to be elected for two years, the places to be decided for two years.

Referred Back to Commission.

Looking toward taxing the personal securities and collateral in the banks and other like assets, the committee endorsed the recommendations made by Mayor Riggins and referred them back to the commissioners and the city attorney for drawing up some kind of an ordinance along this line. The recommendations were made to the city commissioners—the mayor and the remaining five members to be elected for two years, the places to be decided for two years.

The action followed last night.

Major Riggins appeared before the committee in advocacy of the recommendations, explaining them to the body and telling of the great waste to the city from lack of some manner in which these assets could be definitely ascertained and taxed. After much debate as to the present day of the date along this line, which now provides for the taxation, the committee formally endorsed the recommendations with the understanding that the city, through its legal department and the commissioners, look into the law in an effort to draw up some kind of an ordinance.

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"CANNING" INDIAN MUSIC FOR U. S. MUSEUM



Miss Frances Densmore.

Miss Frances Densmore, of the U. S. Museum in Washington, probably knows more about Indian music than any one else in the country. She is compiling a book of the songs of the Red Man, and has made many photographic records of tribal songs. Here she is shown transposing the music from the phonograph to notes that may be played on the piano.

Dawson Wants Good Roads--
and Is Going to Have Them

(By Staff Correspondent)

Special to the Morning News.

Dawson, Tex., March 10.—The gospel of community co-operation with good roads as a text has been preached throughout the world, but like the story of Jesus it never grows old. Occasionally, a new meaning is given it, a new interest is aroused and a more practical application of its working principles is brought to light.

The supreme attempt along this line to my knowledge up to date, is taking shape at Dawson, Texas, and surrounding communities. In Dawson and many other localities is short on good roads. In fact, when the water descends, the roads about get in an awful shape. And Dawson, like many other towns, is making public acknowledgement of the fact that it is ashamed of its present road conditions, but along with such acknowledgements it is going to make amends. Not only are the Dawson and the surrounding communities going to make amends but they are going to do so in keeping with the principles of modern preparedness, and here is the plan.

The business club of Dawson, through its president, W. H. Culbreth, its secretary, E. B. Dawson and good roads committee, Messrs. J. C. Keitt, S. Berry, G. C. Dunn, C. B. Bankson and V. T. Matthews, with J. C. Keitt as general chairman, has first felt out the public pulse. They found that the people wanted good roads, a petition with over two hundred signatures to the commissioners' court for immediate action on the matter bringing out this information.

Then they figured on how much bonds could be voted without increasing the taxes to a higher rate than would give universal satisfaction and they found that about \$150,000 was the limit and that about forty miles of roads could be built for this amount. They wanted more miles of good roads, at least fifty and probably sixty miles.

Talked Matter Over.

What did they do? They applied the principles of community co-operation. They began visiting the different communities. They held meetings with the farmers they talked the matter over with them. They explained conditions and explained their inability to meet the demand. Then another principle of community co-operation crept in. They reasoned together. They said, why can't we, we business men and the farmers of this community help cut the cost of road building by giving our services, our teams and our implements of road building. Let's get together and grade the road bed, do filling in and a lot of other things preparatory to real road building which will cut the mileage cost of road building.

The idea met with approval and other communities were visited. The plan was adopted and at this writing the committee is making arrangements to visit the last community in the road district in an effort to get the co-operation necessary to give more miles of road and work has already come to them assuring full support from this community. Also, plans are being worked out by which side roads will be built by community effort, prob-

ably not piked as good as on the main thoroughfare, but put in passable shape and much improved. A committee has been delegated to the Iasaca community where similar methods have been used and where the experience of the Iasaca community at road building will be used in the construction of the good roads for the Dawson communities. This is a practical application of it and the Dawson captains of industry are to be commended for the effort.

After all the matter of building good roads is just simply getting it at and helping at it. It costs, it is true, but the results from it greatly exceed the expenditure, besides, good roads, like a good newspaper, is an indispensable part of a community, increasing in value as community co-operation is given. With good roads, communities are brought closer to markets. By good roads, land values are increased. By good roads marketing problems of communities that have been denied railroad facilities have been solved. Every community should have good roads and no community, or no individual should proffer an excuse for his non-co-operation in the building of good roads; he should make good and the plan adopted by Dawson and the communities around is a splendid way at "making ends meet."

Community Plan Saves.

And another thing. Hundreds of thousands of dollars could be saved by communities of Texas in which roads are yet to be built if the spirit of community co-operation would spread from community to community or county to county in the matter of road building. In every community where the first attempt at piking roads is made there is a chance for mistakes. Inexperienced road builders handle the proposition. How much better plan, how much better material could be selected, how much better roads would be built if every set of commissioners who shouldered the responsibility of road building had before them the plans, ideas, suggestions and criticisms of the farmers they talked the matter over with them. They explained conditions and explained their inability to meet the demand.

What an elbow rubbing it would be, how much easier it would be to classify, collect and arrive at the best kind of roads needed for the particular community. If say every inexperienced road building organization would take counsel with a number of sister communities before new roads, in new communities were started.

Dawson would do well to rub elbows with some of our road building companies. Waco built a million and a half dollars worth of good roads, you know, and I am sure a letter to our road builders would bring some valuable information for good road building.

Good School Spirit.

There is another thing about Dawson that I like. I like the school spirit. Everybody in this little city is an enthusiastic school booster. Even today, the entire citizenship of Dawson has joined hands in an aid the school carnival—a real genuine carnival where you can get your fortune told, buy a whistle, drink red lemonade and other things from a dozen or more different booths.

Miss Ella Embry, the principal of the school is taking the leading part, but is being given the hearty support of the school faculty and business population. A grand parade is to be pulled off at 2 o'clock, after which merry making galore with the usual fêtes and festivities that go hand in hand with carnival times will be much in evidence.

The funds derived from the carnival will be used for the civic attractiveness of the school grounds and the purchase of playground equipment. Yours truly was forced to decline a cordial invitation to stay for the carnival, and it was with much regret, but here's success to Dawson, her good roads movement, her schools and her carnival.

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W. O. W. Candidates
at West Initiated
by Waco Delegation

Officers and teams of the Geyser City Camp, Woodmen of the World, including a delegation of about thirty-five from Waco, were visitors of the West camp last night at which time they initiated ten candidates at the meeting. Several talks were made and much enthusiasm was expressed at the meeting. About 200 members of the West camp were present. Among the prominent Woodmen present from Waco were J. K. Strecke, sovereign delegate, and S. J. Flood, head escort of Texas. Refreshments were served.

Paralysis of the Belgian and German glass industries has resulted in greatly increasing business done by the glass factories in Japan.

Picture Frames at Cameron's.—Adv.

GOING AFTER VILLA
MEETS WITH APPROVAL

CAPT. WEATHERRED THINKS THE ARMY SHOULD TAKE BANDIT WITHOUT DELAY.

Congress Will Support Administration, Says Representative Henry.

Preparedness had many advocates in the city yesterday, following the sudden turn taken by the Mexican situation. Private citizens were discussing the developments of the last two days at their leisure and during business hours, most of them agreeing with the Washington administration, some of them desiring that the United States should have already been there, and some that even the events passed do not justify sending troops into the neighboring country, and that the situation should be left to the efforts of Carranza's government. These latter give the reason for the attitude that the common people of Mexico would likely join with the Villistas and cause anti-American demonstrations. Holders of this opinion, however, are in a great minority, from the expressions heard yesterday.

Among the enthusiastic supporters of the administration is Capt. P. A. Weatherred, senior captain in Texas of the national guard and captain of company K of the local militia. It is his idea that if the people of Mexico will co-operate with the de facto government in the effort to capture Villa the United States will soon be through with the work in that country, but that if they should join with the Villistas anti-American demonstrations will likely be caused.

This would be true especially should the Zapata forces join with the forces of Villa, he thinks. In this event, according to the captain, it is more than likely that enough of the people would join with these two leaders in their mutual hatred of the American that more or less serious demonstrations would result. This condition, of course, will only ensue. Mr. Weatherred further said, if the capture of Villa is delayed for some days. If the capture occurs at once the Mexican people and the government will not cause any embarrassment to the United States. But if the capture is delayed it was the idea of Mr. Weatherred that the people would resent the interference of the United States and might constrain the American forces in their territory as an excuse for an invasion.

Congress will support the administration to any extent, said Congressman Henry, who was in the city a while yesterday, whether votes for supplying troops to any amount necessary or other necessities of the pursuit of the chieftain bandit. Mr. Henry said that no interference or objection from the de facto government is expected in official circles and that Carranza would very likely aid the forces of Americans in effecting the capture. Mr. Henry, himself, is heartily in sympathy with the president and agrees that the administration has pursued exactly the right course. The troops should be sent as far into Mexico as possible, he said, and when Villa is captured he should be brought back to the American side and turned over to this government.

The interference does not mean intervention, said Mr. Henry, but is established by precedent and international law. The president is only requesting an invasion which gives him the right to cross the border of the neighbor country for the purpose of capturing the leader.

John L. Davis of Dallas, candidate for United States senator, who was in Waco, was another supporting the lead of the administration in effecting the capture of Villa. He said that the United States should not be delayed by the bandit chief on several times and that as long as he was running free no established government could ever be in control of the situation in Mexico, nor would our border be safe from similar excursions, and it was his opinion that the president would and should be supported to any extent in effecting the capture.

Automobile Paint at Cameron's.—Adv.

Garden tools, spading forks, shovels, hoes and rakes at Carpenters, corner Austin and Square.—Adv.

Floor Wax at Cameron's.—(Adv.)

New Wall Paper at Cameron's.—Adv.

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Meeting Held of Fireman's Burial Fund Association

Raising the death benefit of a deceased member from \$100 to \$125 and providing for a delinquent member to become reinstated only upon the payment of all back assessments are the principles amendments to the existing rules passed by the Firemen's Burial Fund association of the Waco fire department last night. The meeting was the regular monthly meeting of the association and was held at the Central station.

Under the old rules the death benefit of a deceased member was only \$100, but the new rule of paying \$125 was passed with unanimous opposition, the principal fight being around the question of whether the old rules should be retained and the new ones adopted.

Article VI.—Any member of any company who is delinquent standing shall be required to pay the advance assessment within 30 days after having been reported as becoming exempt or paid man.

Article VII.—Section 1. Any delinquent member may be reinstated upon the payment of all back assessments provided he satisfies the officers of the association that he is in good physical condition;

Article VIII.—Section 1. Any delinquent member who is in good physical condition and is a member of any company who is delinquent in the burial association can be reinstated by the payment of good health from any delinquent member asking reinstatement.

Delinquent members of the Firemen's Burial Fund association will be required to pay all back assessments as is now reinstated after the expiration of thirty days following the adoption of new rules which were adopted last night. Under the old rules delinquents could be reinstated by payment of \$100. Another provision passed last night was that any active member of any company who is delinquent in the burial association can be reinstated by the payment of all his back dues back dues to be paid by the company.

Following are the rules complete as passed by the association:

Article I.—This association shall be known as the Firemen's Burial association of Waco, Texas.

Article II.—The officers of this association shall be president, secretary and treasurer, who shall be the officers of the Waco fire department.

Article III.—Any volunteer, paid or ex-

empt fireman of any company who shall be in good health shall be eligible to membership in this association.

Article IV.—Section 1. The dues of this association shall be as follows: Paid and exempt firemen \$1 per month assessment upon the death of a member.

Article V.—Section 1. Any member of this association failing to pay any assessment within thirty days after assessment is due shall have his membership suspended and not entitled to benefit.

All companies who are members of the association shall have their quarterly reports in not later than the 10th of January, April, July and October respectively or be subject to suspension.

Article VI.—Any company giving new members after the quarterly report has been made and desirous of placing the said new member or members in this association shall require to send in the membership fee of \$1 and 25 cents quarterly dues, provided that the new member or members who are received in the last month of the quarter, the company be only required to send in \$1 membership fee.

Article VII.—Companies shall report all new members and members becoming ex-

empt to the secretary of the association.

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Article IX.—The secretary and treas-

urer shall make full report of this association to the department at the following monthly meetings: February, May, August and November of each year.

Article X.—The funds of this association shall not be used for any purpose other than the payment of funeral benefits as specified and for such other expenses as is needed to maintain this association.

Article XI.—The books of secretaries and treasurer of this association shall be audited semi-annually and report of same made to the department.

Article XII.—Section 1. This association reserves the right to administer the affairs of this association and enforce the rules and herein set forth.

Article XIII.—Section 1. The rules of this association can be changed only by mass meeting of the bill now engaging the interest of congress.

"Waco, Tex., March 10, 1916.

"Hon. James Hay,

"Chairman Committee on Military Affairs,

"House of Representatives,

"Washington, D. C.

"Your telegrams received, I thank you for it. It pleased me to know that your bill does not include the continental army plan and provision for compulsory military service in time of peace.

"I am gratified to know that it does not destroy the integrity of the National Guard, but recognizes its efficiency and extends federal aid and provides for its development and gets them ready for congress.

"With these and other provisions your bill as drawn commands itself to me and I shall cheerfully vote for it.

"Am endeavoring to arrange to go to Washington to support it. If by any mishap I am detained, see that I am paid in favor of your bill and your views.

"As you well know I have always favored adequate military and naval preparation. If a special rule is needed to secure its speedy consideration, as chairman of the rules committee, I am ready to aid you in every possible way.

(Signed) R. L. HENRY."

President Goes Down Chesapeake.

Washington, March 10.—President Wilson left Washington late tonight with Mrs. Wilson for the naval yacht Mayflower for a week-end trip down the Potomac river and Chesapeake bay. He plans to be away until Monday morning unless unusual developments in the Mexican situation necessitate his return before that time.

Iowa is the first state to officially establish a library of motion picture films of current events for the use of future historians.

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For Supper

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Highwayman Unsuccessful
in Attempted Cafe Hold-Up

After entering the new Colonial cafe at 123 South Fourth street yesterday morning about 4 o'clock and forcing the waiter, Jim Martinez, at the point of a revolver, to hand over \$15.40 from the cash register, a Greek who later gave his name as Theo Poppus was arrested. He was trying to make his escape. As soon as Poppus left the cafe running towards Franklin street, Martinez ran for his revolver, followed him from the building and fired four shots at him. Poppus ran into Landrum and Landrum and Night Watchman Frank Blair, who had been attracted by the shots.

Poppus made a signed confession before Assistant County Attorney D. C. Woods yesterday morning, after which he was transferred to the county jail and charged with burglary with fire arms.

This charge was filed in Justice Giles P. Lester's court.

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PRAETORIANS START PLANS FOR CONTEST FOR MORE MEMBERS

Attendance contest for all the membership and for the greatest number of new members and initiations will be staged by the Waco Council No. 265 Order of Praetorians, according to plans completed at the regular meeting of the body held last night in the Knights of Columbus hall. The installation of officers was also held, the officers having been elected at the last meeting of the Praetorians.

The contest to be staged divides the membership into two equal divisions, each division having a major captain and a junior captain. These captains will select the members to be on their side during the campaign by altern-

ing the names on the rolls. It is the plan for each attendance to count for one point, each new initiation to count more and each new member to be the highest score of the contest. The campaign will run for two months at the end of which the losing side will give a banquet to the winners. The banquet will probably be held on top of the new Praetorian temple, Sixth and Franklin street.

The sides will be designated by colors—blue and gray—W. E. Singletary, major captain and Jesse C. Hicks, junior, of the grays, and M. H. Hannon, major, and W. A. Laughlin, junior, of the blues. The contest was declared on from last night and at each meeting night the sides will report the number of points they are entitled to for that week.

The members present last night were the guests of the entertainment committee following the installation of officers, served during which refreshments were served and a general social hour enjoyed.

Following are the officers installed: L. H. Hutchener, sublime augustus; M. H. Hannon, senior tribune; T. Edgar Johnson, junior tribune; J. W. McGlasson, attorney; W. E. Singletary, single-century soothsayer; Jesse C. Hicks, first centurian; W. E. Fagan, second centurian; J. A. Lindley, lyrian; R. G. Ard, sentinel; J. S. South, recorder; Mrs. L. H. Hutchener, musician; Mrs. J. J. South, queen.

CITY NEWS BRIEFS

Judge Harvey M. Richey yesterday granted the Gayety Amusement company a temporary restraining order against M. H. Phillips operating a negro moving picture show here as manager.

Two runs were made by the fire department yesterday. A clogged flue at the residence of William Muskin, 808 Clay street, East Waco, resulted in the house being filled with smoke, the fire department being called out, but no damage being done. Clothing valued at \$20 was destroyed at the residence of J. A. Rovello, 624 South Fifth street, by fire of unknown origin. The fire was extinguished without further damage.

Mrs. Sallie Boatner, who died on Wednesday afternoon at the eastern sanitarium, will be buried tomorrow afternoon. The delay in the burial was due to a compact made between Mrs. Boatner and her eldest brother, W. J. Boatner, each desiring not to be buried until three days after their death. The decedent was buried by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mosley; six brothers, W. J. Jr., D. W. E. Jr., J. E. C. and C. C. Mosley of Waco, and two sisters, Mrs. Lee Dalrymple of Ross, and Mrs. Ernest Blecher of Waco.

Bennie M. Bollinger, who received minor injuries Wednesday morning when a big gas container exploded back of the Dorsett Cycle company, will probably be able to return to his work today at the Turner-Coffield Wholesale Produce company. Mr. Bollinger was on a few feet away from the container when it exploded and the terrific jar threw him several feet.

PERSONAL MENTION

Oscar Sellers, merchant from Melvin, spent yesterday in this city.

E. A. Murray of San Saba, proprietor of a merchandise store, was here yesterday.

Will Davis, a China Springs merchant, was in Waco yesterday.

E. Garrett, merchant from Erath, spent yesterday here.

Dick Lodetter, proprietor of a mercantile establishment at Speegleville, was in Waco yesterday.

W. H. Walker, druggist from Greenock, was in Waco yesterday.

Dr. W. A. Chernosky of Marekville was here yesterday on business.

L. L. Joyce, merchant from Briggs, spent yesterday in Waco.

L. A. Johnson of Elk was in the city yesterday in interest of his mercantile establishment at Elk.

J. F. Ewing of Ocoee was in Waco yesterday afternoon.

Ed Green, merchant from Tours, accompanied by B. Smith, was in the city yesterday morning.

Mrs. M. A. Wallace of Tuskegee, Ala., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Evans, this week.

F. L. Jones is in the city from Fort Worth. Mr. Jones is traveling passenger agent of the Rock Island.

Mrs. Virgil Adams of Eddy, daughter of Mrs. W. B. Schimmelpfennig, underwent an operation at Providence sanitarium yesterday morning and is getting along nicely.

G. W. Brown, a prominent citizen of Eddy, was in Waco yesterday. Mr. Brown was a former member of the legislature from this district.

A remarkable photograph of the trail of a meteor in flight recently was made by an English soldier in India.

GOVERNOR FERGUSON APPROVES SENDING ARMY INTO MEXICO

By the Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, March 10.—Governor Ferguson today made the following statement on the Mexican situation:

"As an expression of my views on the massacre at Columbus, N. M., and the action of our government in sending troops into Mexico, I beg to say that I am not wholly surprised at its occurrence. For months we have known that in the present condition of our border defenses that our country might be visited with such afflictions as this at most any time or place.

"For this reason I have strongly urged the president's policy of preparedness, and this present outrage will only illustrate how necessary it is for our people to become alive to the real situation and demand that we suffer no longer from an inadequate army. While a great deal is being said about people who leave home, let us not forget that in obedience to our national honor we must protect those who stay at home."

"I heartily approve the action of the president in sending the troops across the border to catch the guilty bandits. This question of intervention may be avoided, but if it becomes necessary in order to protect American lives on American soil, then let it come. However, let us keep cool and deal with that question when we get to it. Let us prepare to be prepared."

COLUMBUS ALARMED AGAIN BY REPORT OF BANDIT APPROACH

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told to cross with the injunction not to come back. It is understood that American military authorities are listing all suspicious characters and are prepared to order a general round-up if that should be deemed necessary.

Twelve hundred Carranza troops, flying a black-and-white flag to distinguish them from bandits, reached Palomas, six miles south of the border from Columbus, late today. It is believed they intend assisting the American troops in the pursuit of Villa.

The sides will be designated by colors—blue and gray—W. E. Singletary, major captain and Jesse C. Hicks, junior, of the grays, and M. H. Hannon, major, and W. A. Laughlin, junior, of the blues. The contest was declared on from last night and at each meeting night the sides will report the number of points they are entitled to for that week.

The members present last night were the guests of the entertainment committee following the installation of officers, served during which refreshments were served and a general social hour enjoyed.

Following are the officers installed: L. H. Hutchener, sublime augustus; M. H. Hannon, senior tribune; T. Edgar Johnson, junior tribune; J. W. McGlasson, attorney; W. E. Singletary, single-century soothsayer; Jesse C. Hicks, first centurian; W. E. Fagan, second centurian; J. A. Lindley, lyrian; R. G. Ard, sentinel; J. S. South, recorder; Mrs. L. H. Hutchener, musician; Mrs. J. J. South, queen.

Rosin Refinery in Georgia Burns

By the Associated Press.

London, March 10.—Germany declared war on Portugal according to a British diplomat in close touch with the situation because she feared other countries might do what Portugal has done, as the seizure of German ships makes a submarine campaign much less effective in that it increases the available tonnage.

This official declaration that Portugal only exercised her rights in her own domain and took the ships with a promise to make compensation because she is in vital need of more vessels.

He pointed to the fact that Italy, which is not at war with Germany, did the same thing without serious protest from Berlin.

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Upon receiving news of Villa's apparent drive against the Mormon farmers, General Gavira called in all outlying bodies of troops that had been engaged in hunting the Villistas bandits in the Goleana and San Juan mountain sections in order to man a force for use at whatever point an emergency may arise.

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It was said the loss was partially covered by insurance.

Nothing to Osborn Raid, Is Claimed

By the Associated Press.

Douglas, Ariz., March 10.—Military authorities here who investigated the raid on American ranches south of Osborn Junction, Ariz., tonight stated that "command of Carranza soldiers who had been drinking roped cattle and horses belonging to American ranchers."

When they were unable to drag the livestock across the boundary they shot the animals, the report stated. No Mexicans crossed the border, it was said.

Taft Says Is Glad of Villa's Pursuit

By the Associated Press.

Boston, March 10.—Former President Taft, speaking on the Monroe doctrine at a dinner of the Unitarian club tonight, said he was glad a sufficient force of United States troops was being sent after Villa.

The possibility of general intervention was deplored by the speaker "because that would be a serious matter and involve consequences the scope of which we cannot measure."

"But that there is ground for thinking it probable none can deny," he continued.

Mr. Taft said he entirely acquitted the administration of any desire to involve the United States in war with Mexico.

Luther Burbank Better.

By the Associated Press.

Santa Rosa, Cal., March 10.—Luther Burbank, the horticulturist, was reported today to be recovering from an illness which had caused his friends grave anxiety. He contracted a severe cold which threatened to develop into pneumonia. He is still confined to his bed.

DOUAUMONT CENTRE OF THE WORLD'S BLOODIEST BATTLE



Black line indicates approximate position of the battle front.

In the region shown on the map, a few miles north and east of Verdun, there has been in progress, since February 22, what is probably the bloodiest battle in history. Scores of thousands of Germans have been killed and other scores of thousands wounded in a fruitless effort to drive the French from the defenses of Verdun.

VILLA HEADED FOR MORMON COLONY

By the Associated Press.

El Paso, March 10.—The news that Villa is heading south for Casas Grandes to cut off the Mormon colonists in that part of Chihuahua aroused apprehensions in the local Mormon community, but allayed fears in the remainder of El Paso. The chief of police stated no signs of excitement were noted in the large Mexican population here, while Juarez, on the Mexican side of the river appears to be normal. There have been no reports of political quarrels or of gatherings likely to develop into riots. There was, however, very little travel today over the international bridge.

Villa's sympathizers and suspected agents were closely watched by officers in El Paso, but so far no arrests have been made.

At Fort Bliss the troops rest under the strain of war, often in open conference of all the officers took place today at the fort. On General Pershing's orders guards were greatly strengthened along this section of the border.

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Orders to Eleventh Cavalry.

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Chattanooga, Tenn., March 10.—The Eleventh cavalry regiment at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., near here, tonight received orders to hold itself in readiness to move at a moment's notice.

Orders Received on Coast.

By the Associated Press.

Seattle, March 10.—Orders to hold their men in readiness to move to the Mexican border were received late today by Col. Richard H. Wilson, commanding the Fourteenth infantry here and by Col. Francis H. French, commanding the Twenty-first infantry at Vancouver.

Socialist Primary Vote Very Close.

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, March 10.—Incomplete returns in the national primary of the socialist party showed today the closest race for president in the history of the party. With Ohio, California, Washington and Oregon yet to be heard from, Allan L. Benson of Yonkers, N. Y., led James H. Maurer of Reading, Pa., president of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor, by a little less than 3,000 votes.

The vote of the third candidate, Arthur Lesser, Minot, N. D., was far below that of the leader but he had sufficient votes to prevent any candidate receiving a majority of the votes so far tabulated.

Real Estate

WE HAVE several hundred acres in Lampasas county, with indications of gas and oil. We want to lease same to party who is prepared to drill soon. A good lay for the right party. Box 265, Mart, Tex.

FOR SALE—An Illinois party must sell equity of more lots on North Side before railroad ticket expires. Get busy. 915 Washington.

FOR SALE—By owner at a bargain, six good rent houses close in that are bringing elegant revenue. If interested address P. O. Box 137, Waco.

BUY your farm direct owner, no commissions, no agents; get free lists. Will Scrutinize. Kingsbury, Tenn.

If YOU can be interested in business or residence property or vacant lots, it will pay you to see me before buying, as I have some real bargains to offer. T. W. Glass, 2024 Franklin St., both phones.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

SECOND-HAND buggies \$7, 3½-horse-power Ideal gasoline engine \$20. 1425 Summer St.

MCGEE TOMATO—1200 bushels per acre. Please send your address for the proof of this great fact. M. C. McGee, San Marcos, Tex.

FOUR fine Jersey milch cows for sale or trade for dry cattle. E. T. Alexander, New phone 2366.

FOR SALE—Gasoline stove, in good condition; will sell at a sacrifice if sold immediately. Old phone 914.

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FURNITURE ON EASY PAYMENTS, 12% interest. Best goods, best prices. Not in high-rent district. 28 years in Waco. Walk a block and save a dollar. RAY ROWELL, 305-307 Washington St. New phone 532. Old phone 591.

FOR SALE—A few fine tailored automobile coats at a great sacrifice. New York Tailor, 416 Austin Ave.

HORSE AND CARRIAGE for sale—Nice, large horse, suitable for riding or driving. Phone W. M. Foster, either phone 986.

FOR SALE—Fine-bred horse, dark bay, 3 years old. Can be seen any morning. Apply Manager Kress Store.

FOR SALE—Practically new Coles Hot Blast coal and wood cook stove. Old phone 914.

FOR SALE—My grocery store only; will rest store at reasonable rate. On account of moving, we sell at once, stock and fixtures. My store 1723 S. 3d St. Sam Morino, new phone 1836.

FOR SALE—Second-hand fixtures, suitable for building purposes. Apply Famous.

A SET of medium-grade hand instruments, about 12 than what would be bought at once; some never unpacked; drums headed, clarinets repaired; instruments repaired. Prices reasonable. Charles Parker, Waco, Tex., 508½ Franklin St.

FOR SALE—Franklin automobile, mechanically o. k., \$300. Your chance to get a high grade car at a bargain. B. C. Nettles, phone 231 new, 11th and Franklin.

BIG FURNITURE SALE—Must be sold—will sell trade or exchange. Any one wanting to fit up a rooming house will miss a bargain if you fail to see us. Big Sale Furniture, North Side Square.

FOR SALE—1914 Cadillac, repainted, overhauled, practically as good as new. A bargain. B. C. Nettles, 11th and Franklin, phone 231 new.

WE WILL BUY Amicable, Texas Edition, Southern Publishing—Waco Morning News—and any band stocks. Pavton Randle & Co., ground floor Hippodrome Bldg.

FOR SALE—700 bushels good heavy corn, in store in Waco. Apply W. D. Lucy, 409 N. 7th, corner Jefferson.

FOR SALE—Look at 1901 N. 13th St., 5 big rooms and hall; modern; bargain. See owner, 403 Amicable, new phone 1843.

I WILL SELL a number of choice registered Shorthorn bulls, which have had tick fever from inoculation, at auction on March 14, 1916, in connection with the Texas Shorthorn Breeders' association sale at the Worth Stock Show, Coliseum, Fort Worth. They are out of the Rockwall county herd and bred and raised by me. They are great-grandsons of the famous Scotch bull Choise Goods and Imported cow Clara 5th and grandsons of King and Queen, both former grand champion bull and cow of Texas, exhibited by Frank Scottell. I will also sell my herd bull, Diamonds Model No. 30450, for \$2000. Letters not answered. Matt Zoller, Fate, Texas.

Trade and Exchange

FOR SALE OR RENT—9-room, 2-story residence, corner 12th and Barron, known as the Tilley residence; all modern conveniences; gas, garage and servant's. Call new phone 2178, or 929 N. 3d St.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—46 acres land, fairly well improved, all in cultivation. 5 miles north of Waco on Dallas road. If interested, see T. W. Glass, both phones.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—An ideal truck farm and chicken ranch, consisting of ten acres land nice 5-room bungalow with front and back porch; small barn, first-class irrigation plant, inexhaustible water; can give possession once. If interested, see T. W. Glass, both phones.

For Lease

FURNISHED HOTEL to let, town 1000; can be seen any day; only one here. Answer this ad for particulars. 28, care of Waco Morning News.

Wanted—Miscellaneous

J. F. HUNTER, tinner and cornice maker—repair work a specialty. New phone 237, 228 S. 8th St.

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FOR RENT—Good room and good board also table board. 1901 Austin, new phone 2165.

NICE room and board by week or month 300 South Third street, corner 3d and Webster.

BOARD AND ROOM, all conveniences; close in. New phone 385, 324 N. 9th St.

LARGE cool room and good meals. Couple or young men. In choice residence section. New phone 3246.

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WANTED—To trade house and lot at Belle Meade for 5-passenger Ford car. Address N. J. Smith, Waco, Route 8.

WANTED—The stenographic work of various professional or business men at reasonable rates. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 1224 new before 9 a. m. and after 6 p. m.

WANTED—First-class men's clothing. Biggest price paid in state. 224 S. 8th St., new phone 2377. M. Beerman.

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FOR RENT—One cottage, 511 Denver St., one 21st and Trice. For further information, ring 2365 new phone.

FOR RENT—5-room house, all conveniences. New phone 1968X.

6-ROOM cottage, 517 Jefferson, new phone 1664. Apply to T. B. Barton, 514 N. 5th.

FOR RENT—A cottage with all modern conveniences, located 1528 Columbus Simmons Feed and Cuel Co., both phones 877.

FOR RENT—Nice modern 5-room bungalow, \$25 per month. 1113 S. 5th St. T. W. Glass, both phones 1432.

TAXIDERMIST—Mount birds or animals. Make rugs out of skins. \$16 S. 6th, old phone 2258.

PIPES BURSTED? Phone Lessing, the Plumber, new phone 2215. Gas fitting.

MISS MINNIE OWENS, Public stenographer, notary public. 414 Peerless Bldg., old phone 882.

FIELD and office hand book for quick work by farmers, ranchmen, merchants, 20c each; 30c books by mail. E. W. Tarrant, 1224 N. 15th, Waco.

MIRRORS RE-SILVERED. New phone 1469, 510 Franklin St.

P. ANDERSON will show you horses for 80 cents cash; first class work guaranteed. Will call for and deliver New phone 1687.

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FOR RENT—Three connecting rooms, furnished, very reasonable, southeast front. Phone 2711Z new.

FURNISHED rooms in heart of city. Rates reasonable. 61½ Austin St.

TWO beautiful, modern, upstairs apartments will be completed by the 15th; five and four rooms each; private bath and sleeping porches; lights hot and cold water furnished. Best neighborhood. 1900 Washington St., old phone 326.

LOVELY southeast upstairs rooms; all conveniences. Best location. 320 N. 12th St. New phone 3272.

TWO FRONT light housekeeping rooms, reasonable. 409 N. 10th St., new phone 371.

NICELY furnished rooms for rent, close in. 406 Columbus. New phone 311.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished or partly furnished rooms; all modern conveniences. \$21 Clay.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, everything furnished, prices reasonable. 409 N. 7th, corner Jefferson.

TWO nicely-furnished rooms for housekeeping. 406 Columbus, new phone 2915.

WANTED—Couple or young man to occupy extra large, cool room, furnished with extra spots; white and black. Judge. Liberal reward. Ed Wilder, 503 N. 8th, new phone 1056.

FOR RENT—Two connecting light housekeeping rooms, nicely furnished; with all conveniences. 719 N. 11th St., new phone 2299.

FOR RENT—Two connecting unfurnished rooms on car line. References exchanged. New phone 1773.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished connecting rooms, one block from car. New phone 536.

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FOR RENT—One large bedroom, all conveniences, close in. 917 Austin. Both phones 2244.

FOR RENT—One large front room, furnished complete for light housekeeping. New phone 1566.

WANTED—Couple or young men for desirable room and board; all conveniences. 618 S. 5th St.

SUITES Two or three for light housekeeping if desired. 415 Clay, New phone 1647.

FOR RENT—Three connecting rooms, partly furnished, or light housekeeping; gas and electric lights in each room, at \$12 and \$15 per month. Interurban Hotel, new phone 440.

FOR RENT—Two nice rooms with steam heat, hot and cold shower bath. Vincent Apartments, 5th and Webster St.

FOR RENT—Large south-front room with bath, in private family on North 5th St. New phone 2460.

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'ANTED—Boy aged 17 or 18 with eight years education; small salary but good opportunity for ambitious lad. Answer in own handwriting, P. O. Drawer No. 14.

VANTED—A man for this town who has small amount of money to invest in a position that will make him some quick money. Call for M. M. Kelly at the New State Hotel Friday and Saturday.

BOYS WANTED with wheels. Apply 909 Franklin. Good steady work.

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Local Boy Scouts Plan to Help Beautify Jim Baker Park by Setting Out Roses

Local Boy Scouts will beautify the premises which they are occupying in Jim Baker park, as the official custodian of that pleasure resort today by seeking out 300 rose bushes which will be donated for that purpose by Tom Wolfe, the florist, and one of the enthusiastic supporters of the work. He and other members of the Boy Scout council will go out to the park at 11 o'clock this morning to supervise the planting of the rose bushes and Scout Master Hays and some of the scouts will cook a Boy Scout dinner out at the park and serve it to Mr. Wolfe, President Nettles, Mr. Hubby, Mr. Butler and the other men who will go out.

This announcement was made at the annual meeting of the council at the city hall last night, when reports from the officers and committees were received and new committees for the ensuing year named by President Nettles. The committees assignments follow:

Committee Boy Scouts.

Finance—H. E. Kepler, chairman; T. E. Hubby, A. L. Elliott, Sol Hirschberg.

Band—Charles Parker, chairman; Harry Bahl, Mrs. T. E. Hubby, Buildings and Grounds—J. R. McReynolds, chairman; George B. Gurley, Tom Wolfe, Mrs. W. A. Lucas, Mrs. Lou Wollett.

Membership—Frank Trau, chairman; J. W. Carlin, C. W. Morris, N. Hayes.

Entertainment—Harry Bahl, chairman; Mrs. H. T. Kepler, Charles Parker.

Executive Committee—T. E. Hubby, chairman; H. E. Kepler, A. L. Elliott, C. H. Machen, Mrs. Baker Hoskins, Robert Frazier, Charles Parker, J. R. McReynolds, Frank Trau, Harry Bahl, E. C. Blomeyer.

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Your old Straw Hat away; make a new one out of it. Get a bottle of

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Provident Drug Co.



Gatesville Man to Speak Before Waco Lawyers' Club Today

Hon. J. J. Cobb of Gatesville will speak on "Judicial Reform" before the Lawyers' Luncheon club today noon at the Raleigh hotel. The subject chosen by Mr. Cobb is one of which is especially interesting to all lawyers and a full attendance of the local club is expected.

Mr. Cobb is a brother of Prof. B. B. Cobb, superintendent of the Waco public schools.

Funeral Services Are Held of Auto Accident Victim

Funeral services of James R. Gatlin, aged 18 years, who died Thursday afternoon, were held yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gatlin, 2218 Washington street. Rev. John R. Morris officiated, assisted by Rev. O. E. Bryan. The pall bearers were C. M. Clisbee, Jr., George Herbert, Alvin Pfeiffer, C. S. Thomasom, Harry Stead, Jr., and Talma Turner.

Mr. Gatlin died of injuries sustained when an auto truck he was driving crashed into a telephone pole in East Waco Wednesday morning.

New Wall Paper at Cameron's.—Adv.

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I will build you a home on credit—
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MEETING IS HELD OF WESLEY FEDERATION HIGH SCHOOL CLUB HEARS MUSSLEMAN

LARGE ATTENDANCE URGED AT CONVENTION IN FORT WORTH MAY 10 TO 12.

INTERESTING ADDRESS DELIVERED BEFORE STUDENTS LAST NIGHT.

NOMINATION COMMITTEE NAMED SPEAKER DEFINES EDUCATION

Address is Given by Rev. Emmett Hightower, Field Secretary of Central Texas.

IS BENEFICIAL IN ENLARGING PERSONALITY AND MAKING AN HONEST LIVING.

"Preparedness" was the subject of the monthly meeting held last night at Clay Street Methodist church of the City Federation of Wesley Bible classes. Talks along this line were made by Prof. Poteet and Horace Williams.

Rev. Emmett Hightower, field secretary of the Central Texas conference was present and told of the work being done by the various Wesley classes in this district and urged a large attendance at the Fort Worth meeting May 10 to 12.

Following the custom adopted some time ago of having talks at each meeting on the doctrines of the Methodist church, a talk along this line was made by Rev. R. E. Brown of the Herkimer Avenue Methodist church.

Mrs. T. D. Whitehead made an interesting report on the Sunday school convention held in Dallas some two or three weeks ago.

To Assist Working Boys' Sunday School.

Oscar Adwan said of some of the things done by the Working Boys Sunday school since last meeting and asked for the co-operation of the federation, especially along the lines of furnishing singers and music for each Sunday. On motion of Rev. D. A. McGuire it was agreed that each church furnish three each Sunday to attend these meetings and furnish music, his church, Clay Street, volunteering for next Sunday, and the following church named: Austin Avenue, Fifth Street, Elm Street, Herring Avenue and Morrison Street. President Carruth also named committee to see about furnishing banquet to winners in contest now waged, same to close some time in April.

Motion was made that a nominating committee be appointed to select names for officers to be elected at the April meeting. Committee was appointed with T. D. Whitehead as chairman.

Will Plan Fort Worth Trip.

A motion was also made that a committee on arrangements be appointed to see about a large attendance to the Fort Worth convention. This committee of ten will be named by the president, who stated that he would arrange for same to be made known at the various Sunday schools tomorrow morning.

A motion was also made and carried that night letter of congratulations be sent to Miss Kilpatrick, one of the leaders in the Boy Scout movement, who is to be married tomorrow morning to Dr. Burdin of Dallas, pastor of the Trinity Methodist church in that city.

An invitation to meet with Morrow Street the second Friday in April was accepted, after which the meeting adjourned to enjoy refreshments.

Education Gives Power.

"What is education? Education is that help or organism that gives us power—just plain power. That is the modern conception. I heard the superintendent of schools in Chicago say the other day in Detroit, 'A little boy said to his father, as they were walking by a tractor engine, 'What is that, father?' Father replied, 'Why, son, that is a tractor engine.' 'And, father,' said the little boy, 'It can do most anything, can't it?' 'Yes,' said the father. 'If you hitch it to a plow it will plow the ground; while you may hitch it up to the team separator on the farm and it will do work there; or you may hitch it up to most anything and it will work,' and the superintendent continued, 'So it is with an education; if you will properly link it up with whatever you undertake you will succeed.'

"I have no objection to school socials, and like for the senior girls to give a reception for boys, as it knocks some of the rough spots out of the boys and does not do the girls any harm. But here is a fellow who comes in after he has graduated from high school to see Mary Smith and brings a lot of candy for her, for a girl, for a though most Marys would accept it, if I were Mary I would hand it back to him and say, 'I can't eat any candy you bring me until you work and pay for it yourself.'

"I really wish that every girl would get sick from eating candy that is given her by a boy who bought it with dad's money. Every boy over 17 ought to be able to pay for all the candy that he takes a girl."

"Some teachers make a mistake in judging what a boy can do from school work. Many a boy will work and help dad beat the burden or take the weight off of mother and father behind, with the best of intentions. The teacher, of course, thinks that because the boy made so instead of 90 as he did last year that he is not working, but in the truth that boy is working more than lots of other boys making higher grades. Only 17 per cent of the boys in America ever enter high school. On these boys rests a higher responsibility than those that dropped out, and those that go on and go to college still have a greater responsibility. The greatest problem we have is getting these others to come to school and finish high school. No one has solved it yet and if any dropping out because they don't see that they do not furnish them with knowledge that will help them do any good out yonder in the business world. That is all wrong, but you can't make the boy see it until too late."

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BELIEVES JOKER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR EXPLOSION

The mysterious explosion yesterday afternoon a little before 2 o'clock back of the J. M. Freeman & Sons, 720 South Eleventh street, is believed to be the work of some practical joker. Judging from the explosion which did practically no damage a stick of dynamite was set off but who placed it there the motives not known.

Because the explosive was placed in a five gallon can several feet away from the rear of the Freeman establishment it is believed by Constable Leslie Stegall that it was placed there for a joke. It is believed that if the person who placed the explosive there wanted to damage the establishment he would have put it nearer the door and would not have been particular enough to put it in a can.

A small stick of dynamite was found several feet from where the explosion occurred later yesterday afternoon.

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You Can't Be "Neutral" on the food question. You have to decide between mere palatable foods that contain no nutrient and foods that repair the bodily waste. Shredded Wheat Biscuit is both a palatable-food and a muscle builder. You can keep in good health and at the top-notch of physical fitness by eating this delicious, ready-cooked, whole wheat cereal for breakfast, luncheon or any meal.

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The Austin Avenue Methodist church is preparing for the revival meeting which will open tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock and to be conducted by the pastor, Dr. Frank P. Culver. Already 150 of the church members have signed cards promising to help in the prayer services and to try personally to win at least one person for Christ. This band of workers will be under the supervision of S. R. Hankins, secretary of the Waco Young Men's Christian association.

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